

## The Weather

Today—Cloudy, rain in morning; colder at night. Tomorrow, colder, followed by rain or snow. Yesterday—High, 53; low, 30. Details on Page 9.

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## A Love Story

"Gates of the Morning" has been chosen for next Sunday's complete novel. If you like love stories, be sure to get Sunday's Post.

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## McReynolds' Post Believed Jackson's if He Wants It

Outspoken Opponent Of President Quits Supreme Court In 2-Sentence Note

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By George Bookman  
Post Staff Writer

Associate Justice James Clark McReynolds, who once likened the New Deal to the regime of Nero, the fiddling Roman Emperor, announced yesterday he will retire from the Supreme Court February 1.

McReynolds thus gave President Roosevelt his sixth opportunity to appoint a member of the high court and, it was understood yesterday, Attorney General Robert H. Jackson could have the post if he wants it, but Southern Senators were urging the President to appoint Senator James F. Byrnes (Democrat), of South Carolina.

The jurist, who will be 79 two days after he retires, has served 26 years on the Supreme Court. An implacable and sometimes outspoken foe of President Roosevelt's constitutional principles, McReynolds had hoped to postpone his retirement so that his successor might be appointed by a President other than Mr. Roosevelt.

Letter of Two Sentences  
Symbolic of this attitude, he absented himself from the third term inaugural ceremonies Monday, saying it was "too cold."

When his letter of resignation came it was, like his opinions, brief and to the point, couched in a minimum number of words:

"Sir:  
I have the honor to advise you that on the first day of February next I will avail myself of the rights, privileges and obligations declared in the act of Congress, entitled an Act to Provide for Retirement of Justices of the Supreme Court, approved March 1, 1910 (36 Stat. 264), S. C. A. Title 28, Section 373a) and retire from regular active service on the bench as an Associate Justice of the Supreme Court.  
Continuously since 1914, I have held a commission as such justice and am now more than 70 years old.  
Respectfully,  
"J. C. McREYNOLDS."

Reply Also Two Sentences

The reply from President Roosevelt, author of the unsuccessful 1937 Court reform plan, aimed at limiting the power of conservative justices like McReynolds, was also brief. It said:

"Mr. Justice:  
I have the honor to acknowledge receipt of your letter of January 23, 1941.  
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## Cargo Ship to Go Down to the Sea On Banana Oil

By the Associated Press

Bananas—7,000 pounds of them, well ripened—will help launch a 413-ton cargo ship at Beaumont, Tex., Saturday.

For the benefit of those who might not know it already, the Maritime Commission explained yesterday that the objective of a launching is for a vessel to slide promptly from dry land into deep water. And for this purpose, juicy bananas, already responsible for many a slide, big and little, have been found an efficient substitute for launching grease.

And there is a good neighbor angle, too. Said the commission: "By increasing consumption of this important Central American export, it is expected to contribute to hemisphere solidarity."

## How To Sell A Used Truck

The Bradley family, 2114 Kearney St. N.E., despaired of selling their old truck until it occurred to Mrs. Bradley to let a Post want-ad find a buyer.

The ad appeared Saturday and Sunday and the truck was sold Sunday afternoon. The buyer got a bargain, the Bradleys were delighted with the quick results of a Post want-ad... everybody is happy!

## Another Star To Shine Here



KITTY CARLISLE,

whose name was added yesterday to the list of film stars coming here to attend the President's Birthday Ball celebrations a week from tonight. She'll also sing the national anthem at the "All-Star" dinner in the Willard Hotel which precedes the dances. (Story, Page 3.)

## Committees To Expedite Lend-Lease Bill

House Opposition Calls Lindbergh to Testify Against Measure Today

By Robert C. Albright  
Post Staff Writer

Foreign policy committees of House and Senate moved yesterday for a speed-up on aid-to-Britain legislation, as Administration leaders forecast action in advance of England's spring "crisis."

The House Foreign Affairs Committee in executive session voted to close hearings this Saturday, with night sessions if needed. The committee will act on the bill next week.

The Senate Foreign Relations Committee agreed to open Senate hearings next Monday, ahead of House action. To iron out procedural snarls and control hearings the Senate group named a special subcommittee of five.

May Clear House in 30 Days  
To the White House with Senate Majority Leader Barkley went Senator Harrison, of Mississippi, and Senator Glass, of Virginia, for a conference on progress of the legislation. Barkley said he hoped the Senate could dispose of the bill in less than 60 days.

Following the House committee vote to wind up House hearings this Saturday, Chairman Sol Bloom said the bill will be clear of the House in less than 30 days. He voiced confidence there will be few if any changes in the measure and called for speed.

"If we are going to do anything at all, we must do it now," said Bloom. "There can be no delay on a matter of national defense."

Lindbergh Called  
Other developments, as the House opposition called Col. Charles A. Lindbergh to testify against the bill this morning:

Senator Charles L. McNary, of Oregon, Senate Minority Leader and 1940 Republican Vice Presidential candidate, announced he is "opposed to the lend-lease bill in its present form because it grants too much power to one person."

McNary said he favored a short war to Great Britain but the bill was not in line with "the democratic way of life."

Norman Thomas, Socialist candidate for President in many past elections, and Hanford Nae-Nider, former Assistant Secretary

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## The Citizens' Choice

### Movement to Draft Reynolds For District 'Mayor' Started

(Why the District Is Having Trouble Getting a "Mayor"—Page 28.)

A movement to draft Senator Reynolds (Democrat), of North Carolina, as chairman of the Senate District Committee, has been started among northwest citizen groups. It was learned yesterday, as decision on the Washington "mayorality" was delayed.

Mrs. Leslie B. Wright, president of the Forest Hill Citizens' Association, said that the Northwest Citizens Council Monday night would consider the matter and that she would offer a resolution to the Forest Hills organization.

Other women who are active in District affairs and who reside in the Chevy Chase and upper Northwest sections of the city are under-

# British Mopping Up Fallen Tobruk; Own Guns Blast Captured Italians; Hundreds Slain in Rumanian Revolt

## Iron Guardist Rebels Trap King, Move to Attack Hungary

By George Balint  
International News Service Staff Writer

Budapest (Thursday), Jan. 23. Hundreds have been killed in Bucharest alone, most of Rumania is gripped in furious civil war, and the rebels are moving to wrest the lost areas of Transylvania back from Hungary, according to reports received in Budapest today.

Young King Michael and Queen Mother Helen reportedly attempted to escape from their strifetorn capital, but were trapped in Bucharest owing to lack of communications.

Bucharest's postoffice, ministry of the interior, and main radio station are in the hands of the Iron Guard insurgents, who are battling to compel Premier-Dictator Gen. Ion Antonescu to resign in favor of Horia Sima, Iron Guard leader.

Sima is now in Berlin, summoned by Nazi authorities presumably to receive orders to call off his Iron Guard.

Radio Tells of Fighting  
Most of the reports of large-scale street fighting in Bucharest, Brasov, and other centers cannot be positively confirmed, since telephone connections with Bucharest are cut off. Accounts of fighting, however, come direct from the Bucharest radio, which is in the hands of the Iron Guard.

When Franklin Gunther, American Minister in Bucharest, succeeded in getting through an urgent call to Washington, and began to tell Secretary of State Hull that the situation in Rumania was critical, the censor cut him off.

It is keeping with their avowed purpose of winning back Rumania's lost territories, Iron Guard broadcasters asserted that the greater part of Transylvania is in control of the Green-shirt organization.

Col. Dragalina, commander of the Brasov garrison, has joined the revolution and is leading his regiment in a march on Bucharest, according to the Iron Guard station.

Pitched Battle Described  
The broadcasts also asserted that the air force has joined the rebels in Tecuci, and the navy has gone over to their cause at Constanta.

Military units in Craiova, Turnu-Severin, Galatz, Arad and Brasov have turned against the Antonescu regime, it was declared.

In the streets of Bucharest, army tanks fought a pitched battle with rebellious police, and reports said the deaths would run into hundreds.

Premier Antonescu, nevertheless, is believed still in control of the Rumanian capital.

A state of siege has been declared there.

Foreign reports that German troops have intervened in the civil struggle so far seem unfounded, although rumors persist that Nazi reinforcements are being rushed into Rumania.

German troops took part in the fighting Tuesday night, according to the Swiss radio.

The Greek assassin who killed a member of the German military mission in Bucharest, was executed today, after more than 24 hours of questioning. The killer, who entered Rumania on a Turkish passport, was executed.

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## The War Today . . .

BRITISH ARMY of the Nile sweeps into Italy's Libyan base of Tobruk and overpowers its 20,000 to 30,000 defenders. Page 1.

CIVIL WAR rages in Rumania, with hundreds killed in Bucharest alone, according to reports reaching Budapest. Page 1.

GREEK BOMBERS destroy Italian convoy of more than 100 trucks trapped in narrow mountain pass when bomb dislodges boulder. Page 1.

PRIME MINISTER CHURCHILL says army of 4,000,000 awaits German invasion attempt; defends plan to conscript labor to speed up arms output. Page 1.

BRITISH ANNOUNCE destroyer Hyperion was damaged by mine or torpedo and had to be sunk by other British ships. Page 2.

ROME ADMITS Tobruk is tottering, but indicates further German assistance in the Mediterranean is in the offing. Page 2.

## Strike Halts \$26,000,000 Defense Orders

Wisconsin's Largest Factory Produces Warship Equipment

By the Associated Press

Milwaukee, Jan. 22.—Work on \$26,000,000 worth of Army and Navy defense orders ceased at the Allis-Chalmers Manufacturing Co. today as members of the C. I. O. United Automobile Workers Union went on strike.

All shop departments closed, directly affecting about 7,000 production workers. Another 2,000 employees, including the office staff, draftsmen and supervisors, did not join the walkout.

Max W. Babb, company president, said the union demand for a closed shop was the main point at issue, adding that the company was willing to negotiate on all other matters.

In addition to the defense work now in the shop, plans for more, running into millions, are in the drafting rooms. Navy orders exceed \$18,000,000.

Allis-Chalmers is one of the Nation's largest units in the capital goods industry.

The company produces turbines for warships, generators, shafts, pumps and gun mounts in addition to many specialized jobs for the Navy. It is the largest industrial plant in Wisconsin.

Curtailment of national defense production in another local factory was threatened as members of two unions at the International Harvester Co. works voted authority

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Woodsmen With 'Broad A'

## Engel Calls New CCC Project A 'Camp for Overprivileged'

By Alfred Friendly.  
Post Staff Writer

An experimental Civilian Conservation Corps "camp for the overprivileged," considered by one of its spiritual mentors as supplying "the moral equivalent of war" to Harvard and Dartmouth University students, has been drawn into a war with no equivalency about it, it appeared yesterday.

First gun in the battle has been fired by Representative Albert J. Engel (Democrat), of Michigan, whose ire has been aroused by what he called the "communists' camp" at Sharon, Vt., sponsored by Eleanor Roosevelt, Dorothy Thompson and Dorothy Canfield Fisher.

Disturbed by reports that some 15 Harvard and Dartmouth students had been enrolled in the small CCC "side camp" at the suggestion of a Dartmouth professor in order to lead "the educated classes back into the social framework of which they were originally a part," Engel wrote the Department of Agriculture, sponsoring the project, for a full report.

Engel's request was made on January 4. He said he had not yet received a reply.

Paul H. Appleby, Agriculture Undersecretary who has taken an

active part in getting the camp under way, yesterday said he had no knowledge of Engel's letter, but had an answer was being prepared.

He explained, however, that the purpose of the venture was not to bring Bela Kappas back to the soil, but was, instead, to achieve better quality of future CCC leaders. The camp members, he said, are recruited from former CCC enrollees as well as college students to train them for future CCC work, as straw bosses and leaders.

Straw bosses, he said, have been selected in the past without thought to their ability to stimulate interest in the enrollees. A different selection method appears desirable, he believes.

The basic purpose "is to bring together youngsters who have flaming zeal for CCC work and to rub their noses in the problem," Appleby said. He added that another purpose of the camp would be to obtain "closer integration" with the community in which it was located.

Advised of this, Engel asked whether the future requirements for the CCC, Page 6, Column 7.

## Greek Airmen Destroy Convoy Of 100 Trucks Trapped in Pass

By the Associated Press

Athens, Greece, Jan. 22.—The Greek air force reported tonight the destruction by bombers of an entire Italian convoy of more than 100 trucks on the central Albanian front.

Italian troops also were bombed and machine-gunned in repeat attacks, it was stated.

The transport column was said to have been smashed after a Greek bomb had dislodged a great boulder which rolled into the road, blocking a narrow mountain pass and enabling the Greek planes to pour bombs upon the trapped trucks.

In this sector Greek infantry was reported far enough advanced to permit the transfer of artillery to new forward positions. At one point 200 Italian prisoners were taken, a Greek government spokesman said.

Counterattacks Repulsed  
Four Italian counterattacks along the central point, he added had been easily repulsed with "heavy losses" to the Fascists.

Gains in the Tepeleni sector of the southern Albanian front after the capture of additional Italian positions were claimed by the Greek army today.

Spokesmen said Greek guns poured a steady stream of shells into other Fascist defenses, enabling their troops to keep the initiative.

Advances likewise were reported in the northern sector after severe fighting. (In neither case was the specific gain officially set forth.)

British fliers blasted yesterday at Elbasani, in central Albania, it was announced today, unloading explosive and fire bombs on Italian military buildings and railway communications.

Greek Supply Lines Bombed  
In Rome, the newspaper Il Giornale d'Italia said that Greek supply lines, troop concentrations and artillery emplacements were bombed yesterday and that 100 planes blasted at military objectives in the Premet zone in Albania.

Reports received at the frontier city of Struga, Yugoslavia, said the Greeks were fortifying their lines in expectation of an Italian counter-offensive. Eighteen additional Italian divisions, smaller than normal at between 7,000 and 8,000 men each, have been transported to Albania in the last 25 days, Greek sources said.

Cavaliers Goes to Albania  
Belgrade, Yugoslavia, Jan. 22.—Gen. Ugo Cavallero, commander in chief of the Italian army in Albania, entered Albania today after crossing Yugoslav territory on the passport of an engineer, according to reliable sources tonight.

President Roosevelt, during the day, called upon Congressional leaders to push through the measure with all possible speed and it was set down for House consideration tomorrow.

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Col. Donovan's Dilemma:

## All King's Horses, King's Men Couldn't Find His Passport

By the Associated Press

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The royal staff searched the palace high and low, in vain. The oriental express was held up for 20 minutes, then the colonel finally gave up the hunt and boarded the train for Belgrade, Yugoslavia.

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## 'I Saw a Terrible Sight'

### Fascist Shells Blow Own Men to Bits, Spread Panic

By Desmond Tighe  
International News Service Staff Writer

With the British Imperial Army at Tobruk, Jan. 22.—From a vantage point overlooking No Man's Land, I watched Gen. Sir Archibald Wavell's army in its great attack yesterday and today on Tobruk.

I witnessed one of the most terrible sights of my life. I saw a column of thousands of Italian prisoners streaming to the rear lines, caught by their own guns.

Scores of their own shells burst around them, slaughtering many and wounding others, while the remainder dashed, panic-stricken, in all directions.

Tonight almost every street and fortification in the Libyan port was in British hands, save for some minor mopping up yet to be done.

I saw the spearhead of the attack—British tanks, Aussie infantry, a famous eastern county yeomanry regiment, and mechanized troops from the north country—pour a deadly barrage against the high spur of ground between the perimeter of defenses and Tobruk harbor, where the Italians had mounted formidable gun positions.

As they did in taking Bardia, Aussie sappers, in the face of withering fire, cut barbed wire entanglements around the defenses and made all the Italians' tank traps useless.

So, at the crack of dawn Tuesday, the tanks crashed into the fortifications, followed by a surge of shouting infantry. Pouring through gaps blasted in the line, a brigade of Australians, their famed cold steel bayonets agleam in the sunrise, drove straight at their objectives.

Other troops at the same time debouched to right and left, mopping up gun positions.

The air resounded with the roar of guns of all calibers and the whine of shells of all sizes overhead as our men advanced behind the creeping barrage of artillery fire. Everywhere there was the reek of cordite.

Quickly the Italian front line guns were silenced, and I moved up over the broken defenses.

In the growing light of dawn half an hour after the engagement was launched, I met the first batch of Italian prisoners coming out.

My companions and I narrowly escaped the barrage thrown

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## House Votes \$909,000,000 More for Navy

By John G. Norris  
Post Staff Writer

The House yesterday passed a \$909,000,000 naval expansion program, authorizing 400 more submarines and other small warships and additional shipbuilding and ordnance facilities to speed completion of the two-ocean Navy.

Meanwhile, the House Appropriations Committee approved a \$131,500,000 emergency appropriation for constructing 200 cargo ships, designed to meet a world shipping shortage caused by U-boat and air attacks.

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## Port's 20,000 Defenders Are Overwhelmed In 30-Hour Push

By Philip S. Taylor  
United Press Staff Writer

Cairo, Jan. 22.—Italy's Libyan base of Tobruk fell to the British army of the Nile shortly after noon today when Australian troops surged into the battered town, after a whirlwind final assault of barely 30 hours, and overpowered its 20,000 to 30,000 defenders, it was announced officially.

The capture of Tobruk, 80 miles deep into Libya, after 21 days of siege by land, sea and air climaxes a drive which was said to have knocked out of the war more than 100,000 Italian troops, or more than one-third of Marshal Rodolfo Graziani's army of Libya.

When the British blitzkrieg swept across the desert on December 1, overpowering Sidi Barrani, Salum, Bardia and wiping out the Italian invasion of Egypt, Graziani had about 280,000 troops, it was said.

20,000 in Trap  
The Australian troops surged into Tobruk behind a battering ram of tanks and a terrific assault by British warships and bombing planes after completely cutting off escape for 20,000 to 30,000 Italian "Terribili."

Tonight, it was stated by the Middle East command of Gen. Sir Archibald Wavell's empire army, only a small number of perimeter forts westward of Tobruk still held out and "mopping-up operations" are under way there.

"The remainder of the defenses are in our hands," it was stated. The final assault on Tobruk was launched at dawn Tuesday.

Meanwhile the defenses of Benito Mussolini's African empire were reported crumbling under trip-hammer British blows on three other fronts.

Marshal Graziani was said here to have suffered the loss of eight Black Shirt and metropolitan divisions and three Libyan divisions since December 1.

Duce's Empire Crumbling  
The fall of Tobruk came 17 days after the British capture of Bardia, just across the frontier from Egypt, after a 25-day siege.

Mussolini's new Roman empire in Africa was said in accounts reaching Cairo to be coming apart before determined British onslaughts at Tobruk and at:

1. The Kassala sector of the Sudanese frontier, where the British relentlessly pursued a force of

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## Protocol of Seizing Italian Admiral Worries Brigadier

By Frederick Kuh  
United Press Staff Writer

London, Jan. 22.—Britain is "getting into its war stride" with 4,000,000 troops ready to repulse any German invasion of the British Isles but there is a shortage of manpower in the war factories supplying these forces with weapons.

Prime Minister Winston Churchill said today.

Defending the policies of his eight-man war cabinet, Churchill spoke in the House of Commons in support of the government's drastic new plan to conscript men and women workers—by compulsion where necessary—to speed up the nation's arms output.

The armed forces, Churchill said, may be compelled to reduce their demands for greater manpower during the next six months to provide workers for vital industries.

The armed forces are enormous, he explained, because in 1939 they

So sad and worried did he look that Tighe asked:

"What's the matter?"

"I am quite concerned over the fact that the Italian cruiser San Giorgio is in the harbor," replied the brigadier.

"I don't know the formality of capturing any admiral. In the World War I captured two lieutenant generals and one general—but admiral, I just don't know about."

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## British Admit Loss of 35th Destroyer

London, Jan. 22.—The admiralty tonight announced the loss of the 1,335-ton destroyer Hyperion, the British fifth destroyer lost since the start of the war, due to damage caused either by a mine or a torpedo.

There were some casualties among the 145 officers and men of the Hyperion, the admiralty said.

The admiralty said that the Hyperion was so badly damaged that it was incapable of steaming and "subsequently was sunk by our own forces."

The 1,335-ton warship, with a normal complement of 145 officers and men, was the eighth of 17 vessels of the Greyhound or Hero destroyer class to be lost in the war.

The others were the Hostile, Hesper, Hunter, Havant, Grenade, Glowworm and Trafalgar. The Gallant, of the same class, was damaged in the Italo-German dive-bombing attack on British warships in the Straits of Sicily on January 10 in which the cruiser Southampton was destroyed and the aircraft carrier Illustrious damaged.

The time and scene of the loss of the Hyperion were not given by the admiralty.

Bad flying weather over the Straits of Dover tonight prolonged the British rest from German bombing.

Planes were heard near a town in East Anglia in the only air activity reported up to mid-evening. Antiaircraft went into action in an area of eastern England when raiders crossed the coast and flew inland. But there were no reports of damage or casualties.

British fighter planes destroyed two German bombers today as the raiders carried out scattered attacks which caused little damage and no casualties.

One bomber was shot down in the sea off Dover. The location of the other was not revealed.

Six bombs were dropped in a town on the southeast coast. One set fire to a motor truck. Windows in shops and houses were broken by explosives from a German Dornier which dipped so low it seemed to brush the housetops.

## Civil War Rages in Rumania

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port, was a young former boxer named Alletino. The body of his victim, Maj. Doering, was sent to Germany by special train.

Meanwhile, Antonescu sought to placate the Iron Guard by a further shake-up in the ministries. Following his dismissal Tuesday of Gen. George Petrovicescu, minister of the interior, the dictator on Wednesday removed Col. Riosianu, undersecretary in the same ministry. Both changes, it was understood, were made on demand of the Iron Guard.

## Neighboring Nations Are Nervous

By the Associated Press

Sofia, Bulgaria, (Thursday) Jan. 23.—Civil war between Rumanian extremists and soldiers of Dictator General Ion Antonescu spread rapidly throughout Nazi-dominated Rumania today, new dispatches said several hundred persons probably had been killed in bitter fighting.

Dispatches from Bucharest said the rebels claimed more than 30,000 were fighting for them. The rebels also were said to be claiming the ascendancy in most cities in Rumanian Transylvania, the remnant of the vast province which the Axis left to Rumania last year in an enforced settlement between Rumania and Hungary.

Rumania's neighbors were nervous. Hungary was reported calling up more troops and the Turkish cabinet met for three hours to discuss the riots in Rumania and the presence of German troops in exiled King Carol's former domain.

(N. B. C. in New York quoted the British radio as saying the Rumanian stations Radio Romania and Radio Bucharest broadcast an order for all Iron Guardists, believed to form the backbone of the rebel movement, to remain at their fighting positions and wait for orders from their chief, Horia Sima. B. B. C. also said a Rumanian army corps—presumably the fifth—was marching toward Bucharest.)

March on Bucharest

Advices from Braşov, north of Bucharest, said a revolutionary leader, Gen. Dragalina, was reported marching to Bucharest with troops.

The Bucharest radio, held by the rebels, applied to troops there not to fire on the rebels. The radio emphasized that the extremists were "ready to die like our captain," meaning Corneliu Codreanu, Iron Guard leader killed in 1938, for whose death Iron Guardists slew scores of Rumanians in a blood purge last November.

Gen. Dragalina was said to have appealed to Sima to assume leadership in a new regime and restore order.

He ended the appeal, it was said, with the cry:

"Long live King Michael and the legionnaire movement."

## 4,000,000 in Army, Churchill Says

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were set up along with a vast series of plants and establishments with the view of "continuous action on the continent of Europe against the German enemy."

Last June, however, the British armed forces were driven off the European continent.

More at Work Than in 1918

Churchill made no reference in his speech today to any future action on the European continent.

Sufficient factories have been established to supply the British armed forces with all necessary weapons and supplies, he said, and the sixteenth month of the war finds 100,000 more workers in munitions and aircraft plants than at the end of four years of the World War.

"We are now about to enter for the first time in this war a period of man power stringency because for the first time we are going to have apparatus and layouts which will be required to handle," he told the members of Commons.

Harry L. Hopkins, personal envoy of President Roosevelt, sat in the gallery of Commons as Churchill spoke. In conferences during the past week the two men are understood to have discussed means of standardizing United States and British arms production under Mr. Roosevelt's program of "all-out" aid to Britain.

The whole English-speaking world is passing through a dark, deadly valley," he said.

## Factory Demands Grow

Supporting the labor conscription plan, announced yesterday by Minister of Labor Ernest Bevin, Churchill said that labor must be supplied to the new arms factories, to shipyards and farms.

"Our army is growing in strength, efficiency and equipment," he said, "but it is munitions factories and agriculture which in the next six months will make the chief demand on the man power of our country."

Churchill then reported that after 16 months of conflict among great powers "armed with the most deadly weapons" not more than 60,000 Britons—nearly half of them civilians—had been killed by enemy action.

Churchill said that "except to the extent of providing equipment for ten more divisions," the 1939 plan of the armed forces has not been changed.

"I am not going to say how many divisions it amounts to, but it is a very large and formidable force, both for fighting overseas and in defense of these islands," he said.

"Counting the home guard, we have about 4,000,000 armed men, who all play a part in the defense of our hearth and home."

## Churchill Has Last Word

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London, Jan. 22.—After listening two days to critics who felt his cabinet was not pressing the war to the fullest extent, Prime Minister Churchill had the last word today.

The verdict of the House of Commons as usual was cheers for the agency of the Prime Minister's argument in his own defense and laughter for his quips.

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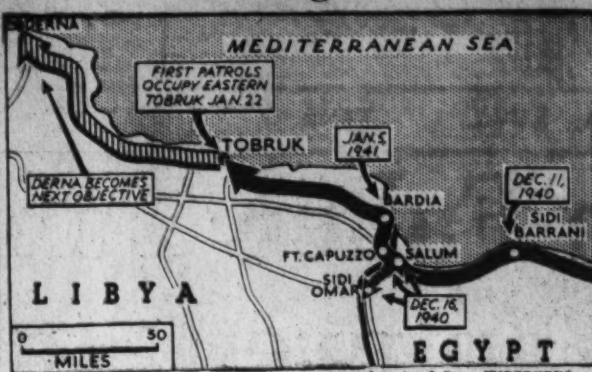
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## British Blitzkrieg ...



DERNA NEXT?—The Aussies stormed into Tobruk yesterday after a "blitzkrieg" attack of barely 30 hours and overpowered the 20,000 to 30,000 defenders of Italy's Libyan base. Derna is the next logical objective of the British desert drive, which started with the capture of Sidi Barrani

## 4,000,000 in Army, Churchill Says

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Churchill made no reference in his speech today to any future action on the European continent.

Sufficient factories have been established to supply the British armed forces with all necessary weapons and supplies, he said, and the sixteenth month of the war finds 100,000 more workers in munitions and aircraft plants than at the end of four years of the World War.

"We are now about to enter for the first time in this war a period of man power stringency because for the first time we are going to have apparatus and layouts which will be required to handle," he told the members of Commons.

Harry L. Hopkins, personal envoy of President Roosevelt, sat in the gallery of Commons as Churchill spoke. In conferences during the past week the two men are understood to have discussed means of standardizing United States and British arms production under Mr. Roosevelt's program of "all-out" aid to Britain.

## Aussies Mop Up Fallen Tobruk

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Italians estimated at 6,000 to 8,000 men. The Italians were said to have retreated more than 40 miles into Egypt and to be still going.

3. The Matruh-Gallabat sector of the Sudanese-Egyptian frontier, where the Italians "also were steadily giving ground" before continuing British pressure.

4. The Kenya frontier with southern Ethiopia, where Italian forces "are everywhere being driven back."

## Fleet Removes Prisoners

London, Jan. 22 (AP).—The British admiralty announced tonight that ships of the British Mediterranean fleet, cooperating with the land and air forces in the Libyan campaign, had removed 54,000 Italian prisoners and huge supplies of war booty from the North African war theater.

## Bootblack to Miss McReynolds

By the Associated Press

The bootblack at the Supreme Court was saddened yesterday by the retirement of Justice James C. McReynolds.

"I don't suppose I'll ever get to the circus again," he moaned.

The bootblack—Albert Grimes—was given a dollar last April by the Justice to visit the circus. His predecessor was financed for four annual trips.

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## Italian Press Hints German Aid in Africa

By the Associated Press

Rome, Jan. 22.—Indications of further German assistance for the Italian army in Libya appeared tonight after the high command acknowledged that Tobruk's defenses had been punctured by Britain's Army of the Nile.

Premier Mussolini's newspaper Il Popolo D'Italia said the Italian-German allies were fighting the British "wherever this enemy seeks to strike and offer itself to the blows of the two axis armies."

## British Use Greek Bases

Foreign observers wondered if such joint warfare also would apply to Albania, where Italians consider the Greek army in the hands of the British. British use Greek bases.

The daily war bulletin said Tobruk's lines were pierced after a heavy air, artillery and land bombardment yesterday. The attack was said to have been carried out by three Australian divisions, two armored divisions and a motorized corps of "Assistent Frenchmen," all supported by two regiments of heavy artillery.

## De Chambrun's Daughter Freed In Paris Spy Case

German authorities in Paris, the United Press reported yesterday, have released Princess Marie Ruspoli, daughter of the Marquis de Chambrun and cousin of the late Speaker Nicholas Longworth, after holding her five days on an espionage charge.

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## Witness Tells How Italian Guns Blasted Own Men

TIGHE, from Page 1.

by enemy guns firing frantically back at the British.

Everywhere numbers of Italian guns, large quantities of ammunition, and abandoned transports were captured. They were deserted, with here and there a lone Tommy peeping about, his gun ready, looking for any Italians who might still be hanging around.

Less than two hours after the attack began, the Aussies had taken gunnery strongholds in the center of the Tobruk defense area, and armored divisions, including free French forces, held the garrison in the western part of the town.

In Tobruk Harbor two ships were burning, sending huge pillars of smoke into the sky.

Later I reached the gun positions which had been the first objective, and found that the Aussies, true to type, had arrived ahead of schedule. They had taken the positions in two hours, instead of the four that had been figured on by the army staff.

Many Italian guns at this point had been wrecked by direct artillery hits. Red Cross men already were attending the wounded Italian gun crews.

I noticed that while most of the Italian ammunition was manufactured in 1938, most of the guns were of the vintage of 1919.

## Relentlessly, Methodically

The latest stages of the battle viewed from a gunnery observation post and saw the British imperial army moving anti-like across the vast desert—relentlessly, methodically, unhurriedly—toward Solano and Airense forts, old Roman strongholds lying in a straight line toward Tobruk and encircling the harbor itself.

Antiaircraft bursts dotted the sky as R. A. F. planes hurled their bombs at Italian positions.

Reconnaissance planes wirelessly ranged to British artillery but there was no sign of Italian planes during the entire action.

Bren gun carriers, tanks, armored cars and infantry crept forward in the most perfect order as artillery threw out a heavy barrage to protect them.

British casualties were very low as a result.

Before us lay Tobruk. Fort after fort and gun position after gun position fell to the British and one by one the Italian guns became silent.

Then the British marched into Tobruk itself.

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## Willkie, Eager To See Britain, Is in Bermuda

By Eddy Gilmore

Associated Press Staff Writer

Aboard the Transatlantic Yankee Clipper, Jan. 22.—This Pan-American Clipper carrying Wendell L. Willkie to Europe for a first hand study of conditions in England arrived at Bermuda today after a smooth 5-hour flight from New York.

"If I felt better I would be dangerous," Willkie said as the ship landed.

He appeared as eager to reach England as a boy adventurer.

The Presidential campaign plus England in the space of 12 months is a lot in a man's life," he said. "I feel mine is as rich as any man alive."

The man who was the Republican Presidential candidate in the November election chatted with those on board the plane, asking all their opinion on the chances of a Nazi invasion of England.

He spent part of the time reading "Knapsack" book of verse and prose such as the British soldiers carry. It includes, Willkie observed, everything from "Dover Beach" to the "Proverbs of Hell."

"I hope to return to America before my birthday, February 18," he said, "but I may have to spend it in England. I must see everything possible. Churchill will be the victor man."

He carried a letter of introduction from President Roosevelt to Churchill and has been invited by the latter to call on him as soon as he reaches England, probably Friday.

Due in Lisbon tomorrow, Willkie will board a British Overseas Airways plane for London.

He reiterated at the New York airport that he was not an envoy of any kind, but "an individual determined to find out what is going on."

He said he expected to be on the go 16 to 18 hours a day while in England, in an attempt to get a complete and accurate picture of wartime conditions there.

"I am going on this trip," he said, "because I believe so strongly in the survival of Britain and I am convinced that a victory for England is the only thing that will keep us out of war."

When I come back I hope to be able to make a frank, honest statement to the American people of what I saw and what I learned of conditions in England."

Willkie was accompanied by John Cowles, publisher of the Minneapolis Star-Journal, and London Thorne, retired New York investment banker.

Willkie toured Great Sound of Bermuda in a private motor launch with the colonial secretary, who showed him the base site originally leased to the United States and the newly leased Morgans and Tuckers Islands.

## Thyssen Reported Gestapo Prisoner

London (Thursday), Jan. 23 (AP). Fritz Thyssen, the former German industrial tycoon, is in the hands of the Gestapo, the Daily Express reported today.

The Express said Thyssen and his wife were arrested by French police at Cannes several days before Christmas, and were taken back to Nazi-occupied France and turned over.

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## Citizens Group Acts to Reduce Traffic Toll

By Howard F. Wentworth  
Post Staff Writer

The Federation of Citizens Associations last night took Washington's complex traffic matters into their own hands as the office of Representative Schulte (Democrat), of Indiana, reported he was still uncertain as to when he might follow through with previously announced intentions of conferring on the problem with Police Court judges and other city officials.

Schulte, as chairman of the Traffic Subcommittee of the House District Committee, canceled a safety conference scheduled for Wednesday because he was "too busy to get people together." Efforts to reach him for further comment yesterday brought reports from his office and the floor of the House that he was still "too busy" to talk.

With traffic fatalities averaging better than two a day since January 1—12 persons have been killed this year as compared with 4 at this time in 1940—there have been city-wide demands for improvement in accident prevention methods.

### Smith Confers With Brown

Yesterday, Baxter Smith, chairman of the traffic safety committee of the Federation of Citizens Associations, met with Police Superintendent Ernest W. Brown, preparatory to reporting to the federation on what steps are necessary to correct existing evils in the District's traffic-control setup.

He said he intended to submit a comprehensive report to the citizen group after completing an analysis of the situation. He is particularly interested, Smith said, in determining the actual number of policemen available for street duty after deducting the number who are on leave, sick, assigned to special details or busy in court.

It will be strongly pointed out, he added, that the Police Department has had a 13 per cent increase in personnel in ten years, while the city's population has jumped 38 per cent.

Meanwhile, other civic and semi-official groups plan meetings for tonight and tomorrow in an effort to devise some means of curbing the alarming accident trend.

### Recommendations Ready

The Commissioners' Traffic Advisory Council is ready to vote on a list of recommendations submitted by its legislative and enforcement committees. Proposals include Congressional aid in securing more policemen, revision of the permit law making driver qualifications more rigid and revival of the "Committee of 100"—citizen traffic observers who report flagrant violators. The council meets at 8 p. m. tomorrow.

Tonight, the Federation of Business Men's Associations will meet for dinner at the Continental Hotel for a discussion of the problem and what the organization might do to cooperate with the city's safety program.

At 10 a. m. tomorrow, Burton Marsh, safety and engineering director of the American Automobile Association, will call upon the Commissioners to present his group's proposals. He will present specific recommendations, it was announced, and is preparing a report with the help of the Washington Criminal Justice Association.

## In Congress

By the United Press

### TODAY

#### Senate

Meets at noon with no business before it.  
Privileges and Elections Committee considers West Virginia Senate appointment.  
Campaign Expenditures Committee considers final report.

#### House

In recess.  
Foreign Affairs Committee to hear Col. Charles A. Lindbergh on British aid bill.

### YESTERDAY

#### Senate

In recess.  
Foreign Relations Committee voted to start hearings Monday on British aid bill.

#### House

Adjourned at 4:25 p. m. after completing action on naval expansion bill.

Democratic Congressional Elections Committee re-elected Representative Patrick Drewry (Democrat), of Virginia, as chairman for two more years.

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## School Girls Put Charity to Music



CONCERT AT CENTRAL UNION MISSION—Glee Club of the Marjorie Webster School for Girls sang last night at the recital given by Miss Webster for the benefit of the Central Union Mission at the National City Christian Church, 1308 Vermont Avenue Northwest. Six among the singers—Jeanne Broach, Lorraine Graham, Marie-Gay Owen, Ann Livingston, Martha Worth and Eleanor Kind.

## 'So That Others May Walk,' Capitalites Dance Next Week

One week from tonight Washingtonians will dance at the President's Birthday Ball celebrations "so that others may walk."

Plans for the events were whipped into shape yesterday by the various committees as word came from New York that glamorous Kitty Carlisle will attend the dances. She also will sing the national anthem at the "All-Star" dinner in the Willard Hotel which precedes the dances.

Tickets for the dances, which will be held in five hotels, all were distributed yesterday and ready for sale to the public at \$2.50 per ticket. Chairman Edward A. Dent, of the ticket committee, said 23,000 are available at all hotel lobbies and newsstands; in People's Drug Stores, at all police and fire stations; at the WJTV ticket booth; Thirteenth and E Streets Northwest; in all large department stores; in all large downtown banks; at Room 204, Star Building, and in Room 427, District Building.

Policemen have already sold \$2,000 worth of the tickets and a lively demand is reported at the Government Printing Office by Public Printer A. E. Giesegack, who holds the championship title for ticket disposal.

J. Kirk Baldwin, president of the Wyoming Infirmary Paralysis Foundation and former State treasurer of Wyoming, announced here yesterday the Wyoming group is conducting a money-raising drive among Wy-

oming citizens living in or near Washington. Baldwin is now with the Civil Aeronautics Board. He said funds raised would be presented to President Roosevelt as a special contribution from the Wyoming foundation.

Poet laureate for the celebration is Robert (Bob) Davidson, whose latest poem concerning infantile paralysis will be published in the official program. The poem is entitled, "Now His Wheel Chair Is a Sled," which tells of a little crippled fellow falling asleep while watching his sturdy friends on sleds. In the dream his wheel chair becomes a sled and takes him on many merry trips. Davidson has contributed poems to the official program for the past four years. He is known to the business world as the commercial supervisor, handling publicity and radio, for the Chesapeake & Potomac Telephone Co.

Miss Carlisle at the present time is rehearsing for a new Broadway musical comedy, having appeared recently in the Marx Brothers picture, "A Night at the Opera."

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## Md. Man, Hurt In Crash, Dies In Hospital

D. C. traffic deaths this year ... 12  
Deaths this date last year ... 4  
District total last year ... 79

A Barnesville (Md.) man succumbed to traffic injuries in Casualty Hospital yesterday, as three Washingtonians were hurt in District and nearby Maryland accidents.

The fatality victim was Francis Davis, 41, injured in a crash Tuesday night on University Lane, near Riggs Road in Prince Georges County.

According to Private Clyde Wilkerson, of the Hyattsville police, who investigated, Davis was driving a 1925 model auto, without lights, and had stopped on the road when struck from behind by another car, operated by A. E. Sweeney, of Brentwood, Md. The auto was demolished, and Davis, suffering from multiple fractures, was rushed to the hospital by the Bladensburg rescue squad.

Sweeney was held yesterday under a \$500 bond on a technical charge of manslaughter.

Robert Lilly, 30, of 1240 Tenth Street Northwest, suffered a broken right arm when a taxi in which he was riding crashed into an embankment and overturned on the Rockville pike three miles north of Bethesda yesterday. He was taken to Georgetown Hospital by Rockville firemen.

Police said the car was driven by William T. Bowling, 39, cab driver, of 300 E Street Northwest. He suffered slight injuries and was treated by a private physician.

Ashion A. Wedding, 38, of 4116 Ellicott Street Northwest, was taken to Georgetown Hospital unconscious after a car he was driving skidded off Massachusetts Avenue just beyond the District line and rolled 150 feet off the road into underbrush. Wedding suffered head injuries. He regained consciousness after being admitted to the hospital.

James W. Dean, 13, of 143 E Street Southeast, was seriously injured when he rode his bicycle out of an alley in the 800 block of Second Street Southeast and collided with an automobile.

Police said he ran into a coupe driven by Joseph A. Buckley, of Clinton, Md. The boy was taken to Providence Hospital with a fractured skull and collarbone.

### New G. W. Laboratory To Be Dedicated

The District Pharmaceutical Association will dedicate the new Henry E. Kalusowski laboratory at George Washington University tonight at 8.

Dr. J. M. Lemon, of the Fish and Wildlife Service, will discuss new sources of vitamins.

## Roosevelt Stenographer Quits for New Job

The man who held the stenographer's "dream job" for eight years left the White House official family yesterday.

Henry Kannee, much to the expressed regret of President Roosevelt and his secretariat, resigned to

become assistant to the president of Remington Rand, Inc.

During his eight year's service to the Chief Executive, Kannee transcribed more than 700 Presidential press conferences, taking notes on words that made American history.

He helped arrange the President's appointments and travel plans. Newspapersmen knew him best as the stenographer who sat at the President's side, recording every word spoken at the twice-weekly press conferences.



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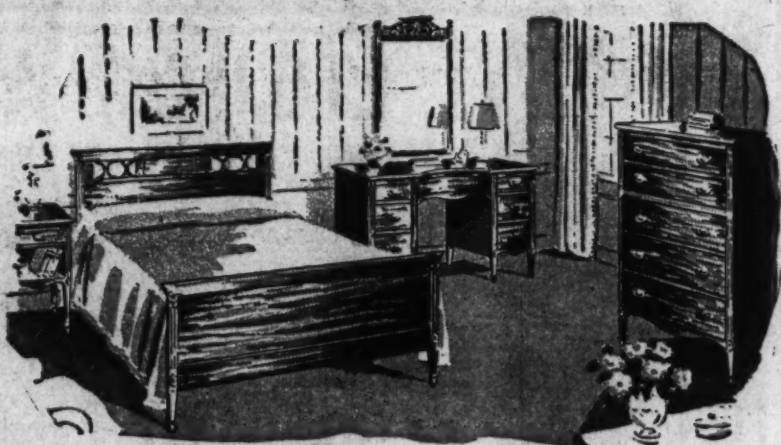
Imported Argyle Wool Hose, from England, blend perfectly with tweeds. Pure-wool yarns in red, green, grey, blue, wine grounds. \$2.50

"Ramba" Hat by Knox. The low-in-back crown is "blocked in" to stay. Squirrel, carbon, bison, apple, khaki, moor brown with dark band. \$5

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## Social Gains Face Menace, Forum Hears

Nullification of the social security program will result from a defense policy of "business and labor as usual," Lellur Magnusson, former director of the Washington Branch of the International Labor Office, last night told the Chevy Chase Community Forum.

"Any attempt to combine defense and consumption goods production in equal measure will cause such deterioration in the economic structure of the country as to jeopardize such gains as labor has made in the last eight years," Magnusson declared.

"A program that takes as its rule and principle, 'business and labor as usual' will cause such a breakdown of the price structure as to nullify such social measures as unemployment insurance, old-age security, and all forms of social security that aim to provide a sustaining income in time of distress and depression."

Both Magnusson and Dr. Gustav Peck, wages and hours administration economist, agreed that out of the defense program eventually may come some degree of control of wages, prices and income.

Peck pointed out that it may eventually be found necessary to reduce production in certain lines in order to divert skilled labor supplies to needed defense production.

Frank F. Fenton, organization director of the American Federation of Labor, and Les Pressman, general counsel of the Congress of Industrial Organizations, represented labor on the panel of the forum. Other speakers were Vincent P. Ahearn, executive secretary of the National Sand and Gravel Association; Mrs. Mordecai Ezekiel, president of the Washington League of Women Shoppers; and Mrs. William Kittle, chairman of the District Minimum Wage Board.

Dr. William H. Leiserson, member of the National Labor Relations Board, was moderator. About 300 persons attended the forum in the Chevy Chase Women's Club.

## B. F. Judson, Mrs. Kate Price Die in Capital

A Washington architect died last night a few minutes after he had viewed the body of a sister-in-law who had died yesterday morning.

Benjamin Franklin Judson, 60, of 4208 River Road Northwest, died in an auto en route home after joining other relatives at the Lee funeral home, Fourth Street and Massachusetts Avenue Northeast, in paying respects to Mrs. Kate Price, 60, of 1306 Longfellow Street Northwest.

Returning in an auto driven by his son, Elbert B. Judson, 35, of 6425 Thirty-third Street Northwest, Mr. Judson complained of illness. The son halted the auto in the 2700 block Connecticut Avenue Northwest, and called Dr. E. C. Wilson at 2723. They returned to the auto to find Mr. Judson dead.

Mr. Judson, a native of Washington, was an architect with the Navy Department, which he had joined in 1919. Surviving, besides his son, are two sisters, Mrs. Alice Weedon and Miss Blanche Judson. His wife, Flora, Mrs. Price's sister, died last August.

Last night Mr. Judson's body rested at Lee's funeral home, near that of his sister-in-law.

Also born in the District, Mrs. Price was the widow of Edwin Price, Recorder of Deeds office bookbinder. She leaves a daughter, Mrs. Charles Wood. Final rites for Mrs. Price will be held tomorrow at 2 p. m. in the funeral home, with burial to follow in Rock Creek Cemetery.

## Voorhis Urges Tax System Be Overhauled

A system of levying taxes commensurate with the ability of individuals or business firms to pay, was advocated yesterday by Representative Jerry Voorhis (Democrat), of California, at a luncheon meeting of the Advertising Club of Washington in the Raleigh Hotel.

He admitted under questioning from club members that he "might have been wrong" in providing that no more than \$100,000 a year in advertising be tax exempt as "business expense," in a bill he introduced at the last session of Congress.

"The bill 'died a natural death,'" Voorhis said and he is undecided whether to revive it.

The legislator said "Little Business" was in favor of his measure because it would give them a fair chance to compete with nationally advertised products in local communities.

He said the present tax system should be overhauled and there should be a fine distinction in taxing methods between big and little business.

He was reminded during a panel discussion following his talk that "big business was once little and the small fellows still have the same chance of growing."

"I hope you are right," Voorhis responded.

The Californian said he was vitally interested in seeing to it that there are no "loopholes" in national taxation laws and warned that the interests of business—big and little—must be protected in the present world crisis—"or we are going to have another crisis, the worst in history."

## Lemon Juice Recipe Checks Rheumatic Pains Quickly

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## Matron Tells Of 3 Attacks By Her Butler

By the Associated Press

A Federal agency entrusted with the responsibilities of economic defense is being planned by President Roosevelt, authoritative officials reported yesterday.

One of the main tasks of the unit, it was said, may be to keep dollar exchange and essential materials out of the hands of the Axis powers.

The pretty Greenwich society matron also asserted that her servant told her he was "kidnaping" her, forced her to write a \$5,000 ransom note to her husband, and later tossed her into a Westchester County, N. Y., reservoir.

Mrs. Strubing broke down twice during her direct testimony.

Under cross-examination by Samuel E. Friedman, counsel retained for Spell by the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People, she was more assured, however, several times flaring up.

The day ended with Mrs. Strubing still on the stand, to which she had been preceded by her husband, John K. Strubing, Jr., New York advertising man and former Princeton quarterback.

Strubing told the jury he left home early December 10 and was in a train en route West that night when the alleged rape occurred.

Mrs. Strubing told the jury that when she came from her shower with only a towel around her she found Spell in the bedroom. Flinging on a bathrobe, she demanded to know what he wanted, she said, and was asked for money.

The witness said she agreed to pay him, but Spell, with "liquor on his breath," remained in the room "and stared at me in an awful way."

"Frightened to death," Mrs. Strubing attempted to push him from the bedroom, she said, but was forced to the floor and choked into silence when she screamed for help.

Mrs. Strubing asserted that Spell raped her, then made her dress, bound her hand and foot and took her for a long automobile drive.

Returning home, she added, the butler forced her to a living room couch, and "raped me again while I was helpless with my hands tied."

Asked if there had been other attacks during the night, Mrs. Strubing answered:

"I'm sure he raped me three times, but I can't remember now. I get so confused."

4 Killed, 14 Hurt In West Virginia Mine Explosion

By the Associated Press

Welch, W. Va., Jan. 22.—West Virginia's third mine disaster in a little more than a year killed 4 men today and injured 14 others, 3 of whom may be added to the toll.

Eighteen men in two far-underground "rooms" of the Carswell mine of the Koppers Coal Co. were caught by the early morning blast.

The explosion brought so little damage to the mine that the Carswell rescue crew was able to reach the scene 2 miles underground in a short time.

The scene of the latest blast is about 25 miles from Bartley, where 91 men lost their lives January 10, 1940. In December an explosion at Raleigh, a suburb of Beckley, killed nine men.

Ahepa Dance Today

The Minister from Greece, Cimon Diamantopoulos, will be guest of honor of the Society of Ahepa at a dance to be held at 10 p. m. today at the Mayflower Hotel.

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## Economic Defense Agency Projected

By the Associated Press

A Federal agency entrusted with the responsibilities of economic defense is being planned by President Roosevelt, authoritative officials reported yesterday.

One of the main tasks of the unit, it was said, may be to keep dollar exchange and essential materials out of the hands of the Axis powers.

## Court to Consider Bank Assets Today

Disposition of assets of the closed Federal-American National Bank & Trust Co. originally valued at \$984,140.54 will be considered in District Court today by Justice T. Allen Goldsborough.

Highest offer so far received for the assets, according to Receiver Frederick J. Young, is \$1,125 by Maurice De Koven, of New York City, acting as attorney for Joseph Heman, of Chicago.

Hearing an other bid, Justice Goldsborough will approve some offer or possibly hold a court auction. The bank's last quarterly report showed assets totaling \$3,456,728.92 not disposed of.

## Takoma Park Fire Routs Sleepers

By the Associated Press

Occupants of a residence at 6077 Houston Avenue, Takoma Park, were forced to the street in their nightclothes early yesterday when a fire broke out in an apartment on the second floor of the building.

Occupied by Louis C. Miller, the property is owned by J. R. Hannah, of Takoma Park. Volunteer firemen, who extinguished the blaze, said it was caused by a short circuit in a living room lamp.

Hampton Program Put Off

"Due to circumstances beyond the control of the organization," according to its president, Harvey J. Zullock, sr., the seventy-third anniversary program of the Hampton Alumni, scheduled for Sunday, is postponed until further notice.

## Thompson Light Sleeper: Friend Glad

By the Associated Press

Al Thompson, 22, is a light sleeper, and John Ruckman, 20, a fellow roomer at 820 M Street Northwest is glad of it.

When heavy smoke sifted through the three-story house yesterday, Thompson was asleep. But it didn't take him long to get out of bed and to find a trash pile burning in the basement.

Knowing Ruckman's sleeping habits, Thompson dashed to his room, shook him rudely and they both hurried from the house before fire companies arrived.

The blaze was extinguished with only small damage.

Lusk to Address Realtors

Rufus S. Lusk will address the Washington Real Estate Board on "Uncle Sam's Real Estate," at a meeting to be held at 8:30 p. m. today at the Wardman Park Hotel.

Guest of honor will be J. C. Nichols, a member of the National Park and Planning Commission for 16 years.

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## Navy No Match For Victorious Axis, Knox Says

Should Great Britain be defeated, this Nation may expect swift seizure of bases in Central or South America, Labrador or Newfoundland by an Axis navy larger in every major classification than our own. Secretary of the Navy Knox warned last night.

Speaking before the Council of State Governments meeting here, Knox said that if Britain fell, the British navy, "which never runs from danger," would fall with it. As a result, the United States would have 15 battleships to oppose 20 Axis battleships, 6 airplane carriers against 8, 37 cruisers to 75, 159 destroyers to 217 and 105 American submarines to 284 of the Axis.

To believe that the Axis would need a long time to reorganize forces after a British defeat, he said, is to indulge in wishful thinking and "to inhabit a fool's paradise."

**Warns Against Quibbling**

"There is little chance to escape this peril if England falls," the Navy Secretary warned. In an appeal to throw all possible military production to England, he asked that the British lack of dollar exchange not be allowed to stand in the way of defense for Britain "when the very fate of our kind of a world hangs in balance."

"We cannot afford to stop now and dicker and trade," Knox said.

**Axis Fosters War, He Says**

In particularly outspoken language, Knox said the Axis powers foster war, threaten liberty and "support a system which conceives its own race to be the international masters of the world and all others their subject slaves."

"They have substituted for a system based on law and order, and justice and morality, a ghastly form of terrorism and cruelty that knows no slightest sense of justice or morality."

"This is the age-old struggle between human liberty and human slavery! It is an irreconcilable conflict," he concluded.

**D. C. Postoffice Substation Chief Honored by Staff**

Clerks and carriers of the Park Road substation of the District Postoffice gave a farewell party last night to their superintendent, Benjamin F. Greenstreet, and gave him a desk lamp and pen set in parting.

The Park Road station, 1413 Park Road Northwest, will close down January 31 and its personnel will move to the new and more spacious Columbia Heights Station, which will be opened at 1423 Irving Street Northwest on that date. Greenstreet will be transferred to the Cleveland Park station, 3430 Connecticut Northwest.

The party gives, whose new superintendent will be E. J. Cassidy, included John L. K. Main, a clerk at the Park Road station since it was opened 20 years ago. The affair was held at Neel's Restaurant, 1606 Rhode Island Avenue Northeast.

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## Air Raid Shelter for British Embassy?



ANSWER: NO, NO—The excavation has been started by workmen for an addition to the British Embassy on Massachusetts Avenue. The new building will inclose the courtyard

## Union Now Call Sounded By Writers

**By the Associated Press**

New York, Jan. 22—A Rilton, a German and three Americans called tonight for the "Union Now" of the United States and all English-speaking democracies of the world, based on the United States Constitution.

In prepared speeches at "The United States of the World Dinner" of Federal Union, Inc., Thomas Mann, exiled German author; Clare Booth, playwright; Dorothy Thompson, columnist; Lord Marley, a deputy speaker in the British House of Lords; and Clarence K. Streit, author and former foreign correspondent agreed on the principle of a federal union of democracies.

Miss Booth asserted that "morally, we are at war now. We have named our enemy. We have chosen our allies. We are sending the material of warfare to their distant field of battle to kill our named enemy."

All talk of "nonbelligerency," she declared, was "so much Congressional perjury, which, however obnoxious the Germans may be, certainly does not deceive them."

She offered the "Union Now" program as a plan to assure a democratic victory in the present war and to "keep the civilized areas of the world at peace" after the war is over.

"The policy of Union Now," she said, "would have these seven democracies (United States, Canada, the United Kingdom, Eire, Union of South Africa, Australia and New Zealand) do what our 13 States did long ago. Union Now calls on the American Union, before going to war and before it is too late, to invite the British and Irish democracies to form with it a nucleus of the United States of the World, by adopting this open-handed program."

The program, she declared, did not envision a military alliance, but a union set up in the same manner as the United States Federal Government.

Lord Marley, who was under secretary of state for war in the MacDonald government in 1929-30, asserting that "the war is the opposition of two differing ways of life," said that "the federal system is a means for maintaining the cultural and other differences of the various races and nations while securing their eventual political unity for military protection and mutual development."

Mann, favoring the program of "Union Now," which was started in 1939, declared that "there is hardly any doubt that if, in 1939, such a union of the union of all real democracies, under the leadership of the greatest and most powerful one on earth, could have been brought about, Hitler never would have dared his perilous adventure."

Streit said, however, that when "Union Now" was proposed in 1939 people said it was too hard. "They put it off. They were too busy with forgotten things. They said it was a dream. They seemed to prefer a nightmare to a dream. The nightmare came."

"And now," Streit added, "we Federal Unionists propose to you that America act for Union Now, before this war brings our free world down to doom."

Miss Thompson declared that Europe, "if the Nazis win, will end the development which began with the Renaissance, and will return to tribes ruled by Teutonic knights and their henchmen."

She recalled the events that led up to the World War and those which followed it, and asserted that the current world situation was not the result of a handful of dictators but rather of "democracy's failures to solve outstanding social, economic and political questions."

## Knudsen Adheres to Goal Of 33,000 Planes by June, 42

Production of 33,000 planes by June, 1942, is a goal "I haven't given up," William S. Knudsen, director general of the Office of Production Management, announced yesterday.

"There's no argument about it that we were slow getting under way," Knudsen admitted, but added that he still expected that the defense program would catch up with its original schedule.

Speaking at a press conference Knudsen revealed that of the 799 military planes produced in December, about 60 per cent, or 480, were combat types, and 40 per cent were trainers.

Knudsen added that airplane parts were already under production in two Detroit auto plants and that the program for large bombers assembled from parts fabricated in the auto factories "would begin to show something by the last part of the year."

Of the four new assembly plants planned to use the produce of the "bits and parts" factories, that at Kansas City probably would be first in operation, by the last quarter of 1941, Knudsen said. Plants at Omaha, Fort Worth and Tulsa would follow in that order, he believed.

Knudsen confirmed reports that a labor division probably would be established in the OPM, which would take over the personnel and duties of the labor unit now in the Defense Commission. He said that OPM associate director general, Sidney Hillman, was having this arranged.

Knudsen's comments on major production factors of the defense program, in summary:

Airplane engines: 2,400 engines of all military types were produced last month.

Machine tools: Part of the "tooling-up" process is completed, with the largest job "over the hill" by April or May.

Tanks: Some changes in specifications have caused temporary delays in production, which has now been resumed, however. Ten tanks a day, medium type, are expected from the Chrysler plant, now under construction.

Tin: One, or perhaps two, new tin smelters are projected.

Transportation: So far no trouble has been reported in transportation, with traffic moving smoothly and no present need for priorities.

Although it was feared there might be a shortage of zinc, and auto manufacturers were asked to be sparing in the use of ornamental "bumpers," there is no present trouble, no current need for new smelting facilities.

Aluminum—More forging capacity is needed.

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## Self-Help Officials Deny Zone Violation

Charges that the Washington Self Help Exchange home at 3213 Q Street Northwest is being used for "commercial purposes" in violation of the zoning code were denied yesterday by the exchange officials at a public hearing before the Board of Zoning Adjustment.

Located in a residential section of Georgetown, the house, which was formerly used by the Jewish Foster Home, now houses 47 male workers of the Self Help Exchange.

Stanton Kolb, representing the Georgetown Progressive Citizens Association, said an occupancy permit granted by the building inspector for use as a "boarding house for 50 male workers" was illegally issued since the men are working in the house.

Jerome Barnard, representing the exchange, denied that the men were working in the house. He said the home is being used for "sleeping quarters and nothing else." Mrs. Henry Morgenthau, Jr., Mrs. Henry Gratton Doyle and Mrs. Samuel Spencer, members of the board of directors of the exchange, were present but did not testify.

All told, 18 petitions were considered by the board which will announce their decisions at 4 p. m. tomorrow.

An appeal by the Salvation Army to establish a philanthropic institution at 1211 G Street Southeast was protested by neighbors who alleged the institution "would bring undesirable persons" in the neighborhood. Earl Matthews, 1245 G Street Southeast presented a petition signed by 287 persons objecting to the granting of a permit.

## Cabbies Acted As 'Secret Agents' For Inauguration

Now it can be told: Washington cab drivers were unofficial secret agents in the inauguration, the lookout for suspicious characters who might have designs on the President's life.

The drivers' services were requested by the Secret Service and the District Detective Bureau and instructions given out through presidents and managers of the cab companies.

Edmund C. Barwell, president of the Yellow Cab Company, saw most of his 705 cabbies personally Saturday night, gave them instructions and handed out mimeographed memoranda which said:

"Thousands of visitors will be here for the inauguration. At this critical time, fanatics, Reds and others may possibly be here with evil intent. If you hear any of your passengers express remarks which you consider detrimental to you, President, stop at the nearest policeman. All cab drivers have been requested to help and be on the lookout for possible troublemakers."

As far as could be learned, no potential troublemakers were thus apprehended.

## A. F. of L. to Be Host

Daniel J. Tracy, Second Assistant Secretary of Labor, and other Government officials will be guests of business agents of District A. F. of L. union at their monthly luncheon at 12:30 p. m. today at the Mayflower Hotel.

## D. C. Public Defender Urged by Bar

Legislation to set up a public defender system in the criminal courts here was endorsed yesterday by the District Bar Association.

The congestion of the District Court docket, where cases must wait 12 to 18 months after they are ready for trial, was declared by Francis W. Hill, Jr., president, a strong reason for introducing the defender system, which saves much time in criminal cases.

The association sponsored bills in the last Congress which would have replaced the "haphazard" system of assigning lawyers to defend poor persons with a modern public defender organization. Hill said the bar would seek to have these measures reintroduced.

"We, as lawyers, have no axe to grind in sponsoring this legislation," Hill said. "Our sole desire is to make a contribution to the fairer, more efficient and more economical administration of criminal justice. In that spirit we of the bar association call upon all public spirited citizens and groups to join with us in persuading Congress to pass this important measure."

The problem of supplying counsel to poor persons accused of crime has been studied for several years by a bar committee consisting of Frederick A. Ballard, chairman, James R. Kirkland, John L. Laskey, James F. Reilly, William J. Rowan and John J. Sirica.

Hill, David A. Hart and Robert F. Cogswell consulted with the committee in drafting the Capper and Kefauver bills, which provide for a public defender system here.

## New Zealand May Send Minister to Washington

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Wellington, N. Z., Jan. 22—Appointment of a New Zealand representative in Washington who may be a minister is now under immediate consideration and will be the subject of an early announcement by Prime Minister Peter Fraser.

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**Fashion Sings the Praises of Natural Color Silk Shantung—and Omar Kiam**

Does it superb justice in this suit you wear South... delighting in its lovely lines, its slightly mad dotted kerchief, its gleaming gold-color buttons. But even more in the sun-back dress beneath with its striking black and white galyak fur belt (a true touch of Omar Kiam genius). Size 12 (but it may be ordered in other sizes for misses). **\$135**

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Hat and Shoe Box, \$22.95

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**Green Gold Covert Cloth—its skirt trouser-pleated, its jacket gored in the back; proud lapels and a single button closing. Misses' sizes. Illustrated at right. \$79.75**

COATS AND SUITS, THIRD FLOOR



## SEC Acts To Limit U.G.I. Holding Sphere

The Securities Commission drew its first pattern of an integrated public utility system under the Holding Company Act yesterday and applied it to the sprawling United Gas Improvement Co., which controls around \$630,000,000 of utility property.

Reduced to simplest terms, the SEC made a tentative finding that to comply with the law U. G. I. must reduce itself to a system comprising \$350,000,000 worth of electric utility facilities in an area roughly 30 by 80 miles and centering in Philadelphia.

U. G. I. would be limited to 11 electric companies operating in Pennsylvania, Maryland and Delaware; to steam facilities operated by three companies; and to some real estate interests.

This would compare with the system as now constituted, which involves roughly \$830,000,000 of assets; operates in 11 States from New Hampshire to Tennessee; includes four subholding companies, 33 electric and gas utilities subsidiaries, and 48 nonutility companies.

The commission's outline was the first of its kind and was prepared at the request of U. G. I. When it was ordered some time ago to take steps toward integration, the company complained that the SEC had failed to suggest what should be done.

Prefacing its tentative conclusions concerning U. G. I., the SEC disclosed that they were reached by constraining a clause of the Holding Company Act to mean that additional systems which might be retained by a holding company in addition to a "single" integrated system must be located "in the same State or States in which the single system is located, or in States adjoining thereto."

This automatically precluded retention of U. G. I. of business not located in Pennsylvania, Maryland or Delaware or States adjoining them.

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## Army Takes Rockefeller Heir, 6 Ft. 2; He Takes It in Stride



ROCKEFELLER IN THE ARMY NOW—Winthrop Rockefeller, son of John D. Rockefeller, Jr., entered the Army yesterday as a volunteer. With only pocket change and one traveling bag, young Rockefeller appeared at his draft board in New York to be fingerprinted and sworn in.

By Seth H. Mosley  
Associated Press Staff Writer

New York, Jan. 22.—Three sons of the wealthy Rockefeller, Butler, and a relative of the Bonapartes—took on new jobs today at which they'll never get rich. They joined the Army.

Winthrop Rockefeller, 28, heir to oil millions, passed his medical exams and headed for Fort Dix, N. J., with just enough cash to buy "cigarettes and a beer." He quit an \$88-a-week job to volunteer.

"I think I'm doing the right thing," he said, adding, "I'll be very grateful for the Army's long underwear."

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## Jackson May Get McReynolds' Post

McREYNOLDS, from Page 1.

22, advising me of your purpose to retire on February 1 next, from regular service on the bench as an Associate Justice of the Supreme Court.

"Permit me to congratulate you on your long service and to wish you many years of health and happiness."

Very sincerely yours,  
Franklin D. Roosevelt.

McReynolds will retire at the full Associate Justice's salary of \$20,000 a year, under the law passed at the height of the dispute over President Roosevelt's Supreme Court reform plan.

Attorney General Jackson, it was admitted yesterday in Administration circles, may have the bench post if he wants it. Jackson has served the New Deal loyally since 1934, chiefly in various Justice Department posts. He became Attorney General a year ago.

But three Democratic stalwarts—Glass, of Virginia (Harrison, of Mississippi, and Majority Leader Burke, of Kentucky—called yesterday at the White House for the purpose, it was learned, of urging the President to appoint Senator Byrnes to the vacant seat.

Trusted Lieutenant

The understanding after their call was that the President may offer Jackson the post, but if Chief Justice Hughes should leave the Court during the next four years, Jackson would become Chief Justice and Byrnes would be elevated to the Court.

The important role being played by Byrnes as an Administration leader in the crucial fight over the least-least bill is the one reason why the President might hesitate to offer the job to the South Carolinian, at his time.

If the President responded to the suggestion of the three Senators with more than an accustomed nod of the head, there was no indication. The three Southerners were said to have an appointment to the Supreme Court from the "Old South" was long overdue, and that Senator Byrnes, an old and trusted lieutenant of the President, would be an ideal choice.

Byrnes himself refused comment on the reports that plans had been made in his behalf. The 62-year-old South Carolinian served in the House of Representatives from 1911 to 1925.

He sat in a large leather chair to talk to newspapermen before leaving. Above the chair was a framed sign on the wall. It read:

"Worry chair."

"Time limit: Four minutes."

"Seating capacity: One troubled soul."

"Line forms on the right."

Rockefeller was in the Army.

Ford Grandson on Call

Detroit, Jan. 22 (AP)—Henry Ford, 23-year-old grandson of Henry Ford, has filled out his draft questionnaire, Charles E. Briggs, chief clerk of Board No. 27, said today, but he has not yet been classified.

The automobile manufacturer's namesake, son of Edsel Ford, holds local order No. 409. At the present rate Ford's name will not be reached for some months.

Ford, a director of the Ford Motor Co., was married last July to Anne McDowell, of New York City.

Strike Halts Work On Defense Orders

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to their executive boards to call a strike if they considered such action necessary.

The plant is making artillery shells.

The unions are the Harvester Employers Industrial Union, an independent, and its rival the Equipment Workers Organizing Committee, C. I. O.

The walkout called, would be in sympathy with a strike at the I. H. C. works in East Moline, Ill.

Ryan Strike Settled

San Diego, Calif., Jan. 22 (AP)—Settlement of a dispute which threatened a strike tying up the Navy's aircraft plant, busy on Government aircraft orders, was averted early today as company and C. I. O. negotiators agreed on a new contract.

The union membership held a meeting tonight to vote on ratification of the terms.

The contract provides for an hourly minimum wage of 55 cents for all employees with less than one month's service, 57½ cents for those with more than one month, but less than four months' service and a minimum of 62½ cents for those with more than four months.

It also calls for wage increases in the upper brackets, and establishes a minimum for the top grade of \$1.05 per hour for certain highly-skilled classes of work.

New employees without previous experience will be hired in accordance with the company's previous policy of 50 cents an hour as a starting rate to a minimum of 54 cents within 60 days.

Vacation provisions are included in the contract, and a conscription clause protecting seniority of workers who might be drafted for military service.

Pittsburgh Strike Called

Pittsburgh, Jan. 22 (AP)—The A. F. of L. Pittsburgh Building Trades Council tonight called a strike of union construction workers engaged in building a \$1,000,000 addition to the Mesta Machine Co.'s plant to house gun forging machinery for making Navy ordnance.

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## Committees Act to Speed Up Aid-to-Britain Legislation



A TIP FOR THOMAS—Mrs. Alice Roosevelt Longworth and Norman Thomas had things to say to each other and both talked at once. Thomas denounced the lend-lease bill for aid to Britain yesterday and Mrs. Longworth, daughter of President Theodore Roosevelt and widow of Speaker Nicholas Longworth, was a spectator at the hearing before the House Foreign Affairs Committee.

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of War and 1940 contender for the Republican Presidential nomination, testified against the pending legislation at House Foreign Affairs committee hearings.

Secretary of Commerce and Federal Loan Administrator Jesse H. Jones told reporters "I'm for the bill and I'm for the President's program." Jones said he thought it unnecessary to comment on the substitute bill by Representative Fish (Republican) of New York, which would give Jones power to lend Britain up to \$2,000,000,000.

Senator Norris (Independent), of Nebraska, only remaining member of the Senate who voted against United States World War participation, said he thought "we can go along way toward helping Britain without getting in." Norris said he would favor the bill if some time-limit is placed on the President's power.

The Administration's top defense chiefs will follow.

House Foreign Affairs Committee meeting last night decided to divide the total hearing time equally between majority and minority witnesses. Two more days will be passed in hearing the opposition case. Saturday, Administration witnesses will once more appear. William C. Bullitt, former Ambassador to France, will be Saturday's chief witness for the bill.

"Abolition of Congress"

Testifying all morning before the House committee, the big, white-haired Thomas called the bill an "abdication by Congress" and a measure "to authorize undeclared war in the name of peace, and dictatorship in the name of defending democracy."

He denied the President had received a popular mandate for the measure. He said that if democracy in this crisis gives sole control of peace or war to one man, it has already surrendered the front line trenches to the principle of totalitarian dictatorship.

The union membership held a meeting tonight to vote on ratification of the terms.

The contract provides for an hourly minimum wage of 55 cents for all employees with less than one month's service, 57½ cents for those with more than one month, but less than four months' service and a minimum of 62½ cents for those with more than four months.

It also calls for wage increases in the upper brackets, and establishes a minimum for the top grade of \$1.05 per hour for certain highly-skilled classes of work.

New employees without previous experience will be hired in accordance with the company's previous policy of 50 cents an hour as a starting rate to a minimum of 54 cents within 60 days.

Vacation provisions are included in the contract, and a conscription clause protecting seniority of workers who might be drafted for military service.

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Magistrate Fines Self For Overtime Parking

Charlottesville, Va., Jan. 22 (AP)—Police Justice J. Callahan fined himself \$1 yesterday for overtime parking, and paid the clerk. The Justice's car was tagged on Main Street Monday afternoon by Officer T. E. Kennedy.

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## Engel Assails New CCC Project

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a CCC straw boss would be a bachelor of arts degree from Harvard.

"I suppose Harvard law school will now start a new course in straw-bossing," Engel noted. "Dartmouth appears to be giving the young men of America a new ambition—to become straw bosses of CCC camps."

To Demand Inquiry

As member of a House Appropriations Subcommittee passing on CCC funds, Engel indicated he would demand a thorough investigation of the "camp for the overprivileged." According to CCC experience, the cost of bringing bread to each Back Bay Brahmin will run \$1,000 per year.

The Sharon, Cantonment, named "Camp William James" after the famous Harvard philosopher who advocated that modern mechanistic society must supply its young men with a "moral equivalent of war," was set up over Communist Dorothy Thompson had become interested in the efforts of 13 recent Dartmouth and Harvard graduates who had been working as hired farm hands in the area.

Some of the young men had been inspired by a Dartmouth professor, Eugen Rosenstock-Huesay, Austrian emigre, who had worked in the European program of labor camps. Six years ago he warned that the CCC procedure, in recruiting only boys of needy families, was intensifying class lines. He urged that representatives of more privileged groups be included.

Placed Under McNutt

The program was placed under Paul V. McNutt, Federal Security Administrator, an abandoned CCC side camp was taken over and enrollment, under the Vermont CCC Selection Board, was begun on January 1.

CCC officials yesterday disclaimed knowledge of reports that "Broad-A woodmen" and "Ivy League labor" was being enrolled. They said that their only information was that an experimental camp had been authorized to operate under CCC regulations with Agriculture Department sponsorship.

Assistant Federal Security Administrator Wayne Coy explained that the FSA had approved the camp only "on an experimental basis." He pointed out that the only economic requirement for enrollment into a new camp was that the recruit be without employment and in need of a job.

Opposes Bill as Drawn

Senator McNary opposed the bill as now drawn on his return to the Capitol for the first time since October 28. On some points he was in conflict with the aid-to-Britain position taken by his running mate, Wendell Willkie.

While he said he had not had an opportunity for thorough study of the measure, McNary said there should be first a limitation on the life of the bill and powers granted, and a "ceiling" on the amount of aid authorized.

"I note," said McNary, "that the President says he doesn't intend to use convoys. There ought to be some limitation written into the bill on his powers in that regard."

Socialists Disagree

New York, Jan. 22 (AP)—A group of Socialists declared tonight that Norman Thomas represented only one section of the Socialist Party in his opposition to the proposed British aid bill and asked that a party representative favoring the bill be heard by the House of Foreign Affairs Committee.

A telegram to that effect, sent to Representative Sol Bloom, chairman of the committee, was signed by Frank E. Crosswath, Alfred Baker Lewis, Murray Gross, Dr. Reinhold Neiburger, Gus Tyler, Lazar Becker and Jack Altman.

Governor Seeks Rejection

Topeka, Kans., Jan. 22 (AP)—Gov. Payne H. Ratner sent a special message to the State Senate and House of Representatives today requesting the Legislature to ask Congress for the rejection of President Roosevelt's lend-lease bill in its present form.

The Governor said he favored aid to Great Britain, but declared the bill as it stood granted too much power to the President.

## 2 Germans Escape A Few Hours After Landing in Canada

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An East Canadian Port, Jan. 22 (AP)—A Nazi ace ranked as one of Germany's most deadly and hundreds of other shotdown airmen and captured seamen were brought here from England for internment today, but two escaped within a few hours after they trudged down the gangplank of their camouflaged prison ship.

The escape was announced by the Royal Canadian Mounted Police just after the exploits of the ace prisoner were detailed without identifying him by name.

Interment officials said he was a 25-year-old fighter pilot who, starting with the Spanish Civil War, had been credited in Germany with shooting down 50 planes.

(The age, number of planes credited to him and possession of the rare oak leaves decoration added to the Iron Cross tallied with the description of Maj. Helmuth Wick, commander of the famous Richfield Squadron, believed in Berlin to have been killed in a dogfight over the English Channel.)

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## Viroval's Voice No'th Ca'olinians, Suh... Highlight's Concert Here

By Ray C. B. Brown.

Hans Kindler conducts the National Symphony Orchestra, with Robert Viroval as violin soloist, in Constitution Hall Wednesday night. Program: "They, Too, Went T' Town" (DeLamarter), Symphony No. 31 in D major (Mozart), Violin Concerto in E minor (Mendelssohn), Symphony, "Mathis der Maler" (Hindemith).

Three local premieres and a beautiful reading of Mendelssohn's violin concerto by youthful Robert Viroval distinguished the National Symphony Orchestra concert conducted by Hans Kindler last evening. Inasmuch as the program consisted of four compositions, only the concerto represented familiar music, and that was played with so happy an air, so joyous a soaring as to sound almost new. Now and then this surprise will happen to an old work; someone will take it in hand and, by the magic of tone and interpretation, nearly restore its pristine freshness for ears that have been wearied by too many repetitions.

Robert Viroval, who was introduced to Washington not long ago by Mrs. Lawrence Townsend at one of her morning musicales, returned to confirm and deepen the impression of his great talent. Lacking two months of being 20 years old, he possesses a remarkably matured artistry based upon a polished technique. His suave and fluent tone is the essence of lyricism, and it sang the concerto with phrasing light-hearted and buoyant. His performance of the violin, because of the consistently fine quality of intonation and the poetic refinement of the reading, was one of the best I have ever heard.

Eric DeLamarter was in the audience to hear the first performance here of his overture, "They, Too, Went T' Town," and must have been pleased both by Dr. Kindler's spirited direction and by the cordial reception accorded to his jolly piece, woven of two old New England hymn tunes in cleverly dyed instrumentation, and the zest of the music bears out the implication of the title that the Puritans were not always so glum after all.

The second novelty was Mozart's "Paris" symphony in D major, one of the products of his six-month sojourn in the French capital. Gracious and charming, it has his characteristic lightness of touch in the first and last movements, and the andante is a mine of melody. The records say that Mozart was worried over the possible failure of the symphony because things went badly at rehearsal, but the Parisian public liked it and gave him a good hand at the first performance on June 18, 1778.

It has taken almost seven years for Paul Hindemith's symphony, "Mathis der Maler," to reach us, but the waiting was well repaid. This is music of clear idea and genuine power, music representing the main current of contemporary tendencies. It is really a symphony by courtesy only, since its three movements are excerpts from an opera of the same title. The sections, called "Concert of the Angels," "Entombment" and "The Temptation of St. Anthony," bear the names of paintings in a triptych by Matthias Gruenwald, a painter of the early sixteenth century.

The slow movement, simple in accents and profoundly moving in emotional expression, is one of the most beautiful scores that Hindemith has penned. In the first movement there are some lovely passages, but the main portion is rather mannered—that is, too ostensibly Hindemithian in style. The last movement opens impressively and contains both impressively rhythmic and strength in climaxes, but is a little too long and too prevalently homophonic. The total impression of the work, however, is one of dignity, originality and independence.

## Purge Intolerance, President Urges

New York, Jan. 22 (AP)—President Roosevelt today called upon Americans of all faiths to hold meetings during brotherhood week, February 22-23, "to purge our hearts of all intolerance and to bind all our citizens in a common loyalty."

His message was made public by Dr. Everett R. Clinchy, president of the National Conference of Christians and Jews, sponsoring brotherhood week.



**BELLES OF THE BALL**—The North Carolina State Society last night staged at the Shoreham Hotel a reception and dance in honor of the North Carolina Congressional delegation. Among those who danced were (left to right) Shirley Winston, 4608 Forty-sixth Street Northwest; Mrs. Robert Edwin, 118 East Clifton Terrace; Mrs. O. B. Carpenter, Jr., 1948 Thirteenth Street Northeast, and Mrs. Lena De Grazia, 2920 Ontario Road.

## 'Invader' Planes Roar Through Fog to 'Destroy' Boston Airport; Ground Defense Flaws Found

"Oh, My Stockings!" Girl Observers Find Sherman Was Right

By the Associated Press  
Boston, Jan. 22.—The girls of Uncle Sam's "silk stocking army" think there ought to be a special appropriation to cover "the runs" we've suffered in the cause of aerial defense.

That's the consensus of 180 women, including many Boston debutantes, who are key workers at the New England center of the war defense command's four-day aerial defense test.

They work around tables containing maps and they chart the course of "invader" flights on the basis of information telephoned to them by civilian spotters ranged over a wide area.

There's plenty of reaching and stretching, and at times some of the more energetic climb onto the tables to plot the paths of an "invader" or a pursuit plane springing to the attack.

"It's getting so," said a pretty art student, "that most of the girls had taken to wearing ankle socks—we've spoiled so many sheer chiffs."

The girls come to work garbed in everything from silver fox furs to business suits, but when it's "alert" time, they bud out in flowered smocks or corduroy.

"Slacks are best when you have to go athletic and climb onto the table," was the verdict.

But the kick about the stockings is their only one complaint. Their job, on which seasoned signal corps men have rated them a blanket okay, is "swell fun" to the ladies.

Between air raids they sit in front of their map boards and knit or tidy knots that have gone awry in the heat of battle. During rest periods there's always a rubber of bridge or a session of Chinese checkers.

When the girls knock off at night, signal corps regulars take over their telephone headsets for the night shift.

"It's quite a system," said one of the girls, "if you like the boy whose taking your place what to prevent you from calling up later and saying 'army flash—I'll meet you when you're off duty.'"

But Gen. Chaney Is Satisfied These Can Be Corrected

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New York, Jan. 22.—Aided by swirling ground fogs, overcast skies, and faulty radio communications of the defending forces, Army Air Corps bombing planes taking the role of enemy raiders swept in from the Atlantic Ocean today on several occasions to score theoretically destructive attacks on industrial centers in the northeast United States.

The air maneuvers were an important part of the second-day test of the newly-organized network of civilian aircraft spotters in Connecticut, Massachusetts, Rhode Island and New York east of the Hudson River, which the Army plans to expand to a national group.

Because the test, which began Tuesday and will end Friday night, is the first major try-out of the spotting system, Maj. Gen. James E. Chaney and other Air Corps officers in charge were not disgruntled at the flaws that developed today.

Instead, the officers expressed their satisfaction that the faults were being brought to light while there was ample time for America's strategists and tacticians to work out means of correcting them.

One of the times that the spotting system failed to send up defending P-40 pursuit planes in time to make a successful interception of the raiding bombers resulted in the "bombing" of destruction of Boston Airport.

Nevertheless, large numbers of attacks were foiled during the day by accurate observation work on the part of the spotters and close coordination between the nerve center at Boston and New York City where "tracks" of the bombers were plotted on large maps, and the pursuit bases scattered through the four States.

Asked to summarize the work of the volunteer civilian spotters, most of whom were members of American Legion posts, an air corps spokesman said that on the whole it had been good. The first two days of the air raid spotting test, however, had shown the need for considerable further training for observers in the proper identification of planes, the number of motors they had, and in judging the general direction and altitude of bombers formations, he added.

## Parole Decreed For Repentant Draft Violators

Leniency for violators of the Selective Service Act who repent and undertake to fulfill their obligations under the law was decreed in an Executive order signed by President Roosevelt and made public yesterday by Director Clarence A. Dykstra.

Under the terms of the order, men between the ages of 21 and 36 years, who have been convicted of violating the act, may be paroled by the Attorney General on the recommendation of the director of selective service if they agree to serve their 12 months of training. Their payroles will be revoked automatically, however, if they fail to fulfill their obligation.

Likewise men, or women, who have been convicted of aiding or abetting violators of the Selective Service Act, will be paroled upon such terms and conditions as may be specified by the Attorney General.

"In recommending the parole of any man," the announcement said, "the director of selective service must specify the status in which the parolee is to be placed."

"Ordinarily all persons convicted under a Federal statute must serve at least one-third of the sentence imposed before becoming eligible for parole. The executive order signed by President Roosevelt therefore is a distinct leniency to violators of the Selective Service Act who repent of misguided or emotional action. It was made possible by Section 10 (A) (5) of the Selective Training and Service Act which authorizes the President to prescribe rules and regulations for the parole of persons convicted of violations of the selective service law."

Earlier in the day 495 selectees boarded trains out of Fort George G. Meade, Md., for Georgia, North Carolina and Texas replacement centers as the medical examinations of 300 District men subject to call in the third selective service induction got under way.

A fourth of them Washingtonians, the selectees left for permanent assignments as follows: To Fort Sam Houston, Tex., Second Division Infantry, 399; to Fort Benning, Ga., Second Armored Force, 38; to Fort Bragg, N. C., Forty-first Engineers, 58.

Meanwhile, 300 District registrants from local boards Nos. 1 through 14 reported at the West Clinic in the District Health Department, 469 C Street Northwest, for lung X-rays. The examinations will continue daily until all 1,436 potential candidates for the February induction have been examined.

The 1,463 will go through complete physical examinations at Emergency, Sibley, Providence, Garfield and Freedman's Hospitals starting Friday. A second group will go through the physical tests Tuesday.

On the basis of the medical tests, 333 men are to be selected for the induction as follows: February 19, 48; February 20, 13; February 21, 110; and February 24, 64.

## House Votes Navy \$909,000,000 More

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ton (Republican), of Kansas. Chairman Vinson of the House Naval Committee explained that the small warship program would cost about \$400,000,000 and that the balance of the authorization would provide \$315,000,000 for new shipbuilding ways and other facilities.

The latter includes \$97,000,000 for additions to naval ordnance plants in the Washington area. The committee report disclosed that \$4,480,000 will be spent for machine tools, cranes and equipment to increase the output of guns, mounts, directors, torpedoes, and other ordnance for fire control at the Naval Gun Factory here, while \$650,000 would be allotted to naval torpedo factory in Alexandria.

At a metal powder factory, Indianhead, Md., \$4,200,000 will be provided for extension of the plant and additional facilities.

Construction of the 200 cargo ships would be handled by the Maritime Commission, which has already received a residential allotment of \$36,500,000 in cash and contractual authority for facilities to build them.

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One reason for such foreign trade being "continuously" on the increase, Land said, was the greater need for rubber, manganese, chromium, and other strategic materials required for defense production.

First of the new cargo ships will be completed within 11 months after the contract is let, while the entire program will be finished within 18 months thereafter, Land testified. The ships will be box-shaped, with a displacement of 7,500 tons each, with a speed of 10 or 11 knots.

During the day, the House also passed legislation to increase the number of appointments at the Naval Academy from four to five for each member of Congress, to provide officers for the expanding fleet.

## Women Voters to Meet

Reports on legislation before the Maryland General Assembly will be given at the luncheon meeting of the Montgomery County League of Women Voters at 12:30 p. m. in the Blue Willow Inn, Georgia Avenue, Silver Spring.

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## Sen. George Praises Movies After Wheeler's Denunciation



**NOT TO BE GONE WITH THE WIND**—Senator Walter F. George, of Georgia (right), presents to Archivist R. D. W. Connor a complete print of "Gone With the Wind" for permanent preservation. Changing hands is one reel only; the whole 19,795 feet are contained in four large cases initialed "GWTW".

By Gerald G. Gross  
Post Staff Writer

In what was interpreted as a stinging rebuttal to a fellow Senator, Chairman Walter F. George, of the Foreign Relations Committee, yesterday upheld motion pictures as "the first spokesman of the American way of life."

Presenting a print of "Gone With the Wind" to the National Archives, the Georgian took occasion to deliver a statement praising the film industry, which was construed as a reply to Senator Burton K. Wheeler, of Montana.

The latter, after attempting in vain to have his likeness and words deleted from the latest "March of Time" film release, accused the industry last week of engaging in "unbridled propaganda" for war.

"It exemplifies," Senator George said of "Gone With the Wind," "the great constructive force of the screen in promoting a better understanding not only among people of our own Nation but the people of all nations."

"(It is) a force which in these times assumes far greater importance and significance in our international relations than ever before and establishes the motion picture as the first spokesman of the American way of life, and as our first line of defense in the maintenance of morale power."

Senator George's eulogy of the American motion picture, coming so soon after his colleague's denunciation, gave an exciting tinge to what was to have been an innocent little ceremony.

As senior Senator from the State in which "Gone With the Wind" is laid, the Foreign Relations chairman made the presentation to Dr. R. D. W. Connor, Archivist of the United States, in the latter's office. The gift consists of the picture's entire 19,795 feet of color film, contained in four fireproof cases. It becomes the first full-length feature picture to enter the Archives Building's huge film collection.

Contributed by David O. Selznick, producer, the film was desired for permanent preservation because of its documentary value. It joins 5,000,000 feet of historically important film, ranging in character from early Mabel Normand comedies to President Roosevelt's three inaugural films.

Dr. Connor and John G. Bradley, chief of the motion picture division, yesterday pointed out that the eight vaults which it was thought originally would be adequate for many years, are now filled and additional space has been drafted for film storage.

## Army Censor Clamps Down Lid As Hostess List Narrows to 80

Over at Third Corps Area headquarters in Baltimore the generals are referring calls to the adjutant, and there's a censorship on news about those hostesses.

No, not about all of the 8,000 who applied for six hostess jobs at Fort George G. Meade, and Indianhead Gap, Md., reception centers. Just about the six to be commissioned in the near future.

Only 60 of the 8,000 are still in the running for the six jobs. The six are to be appointed by a special board of three officer-interviewers. Who, how, when?

The secrecy on these points is like that surrounding the Army bomb sight. But, unofficially and confidentially, surviving 80, it is understood the officers are soldiers and gentlemen who know a hostess when they see one. In all-out, all-day interviewing sessions to be conducted soon they will study your poise, tact, manners, (and just possibly your face and figure).

For a hemisphere defense, then, two junior hostesses and one senior will be appointed at each of the two camps . . . and for the business of arranging dances and other recreational activities of supervising the reception center's cafeteria. Pay: seniors, \$2,100; juniors, \$1,600.

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## Va. Hero Awarded Carnegie Medal

Pittsburgh, Jan. 22 (AP)—Howard Le Compte Dabson, 26-year-old salesman, of 538 Monroe Avenue, Cape Charles, Va., was cited by the Carnegie hero fund commission today for bravery in the rescue of two children and the attempted rescue of another from burning at Seaview, Va., June 18, 1940. The award was a bronze medal.

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## Draft Dodger, Father Shot In Gun Battle With Officers

Pontiac, Ill., Jan. 22.—Ernest Eisle was bitterly opposed to serving with the United States armed forces and he evaded the draft registration because of objections to the brutality of war.

Today, he and his father, who supported him in his stand, battled furiously with knife and gun against a deputy United States marshal and a deputy sheriff who had gone to his farm home to arrest him.

The youth, 22, and his father, Martin, 48, were wounded critically, probably fatally. Each was shot three times through the body.

The officers, Deputy United States Marshal Eugene Ahrends, Peoria, and Deputy Sheriff Robert Jones, Pontiac, suffered knife wounds.

They had gone to the Eisle's farm home, 5 miles west of here, with a warrant. Before they started they were warned that Martin Eisle had threatened violence against anyone who attempted to arrest his son.

Ahrends and Jones talked to the boy, his father and his mother for about an hour. The father and son argued. The mother, the officers said, was willing to let them take her son.

When they started to leave with the boy, the father suddenly seized a shotgun and aimed it at them. Both officers drew their pistols and fired. One slug broke the elder Eisle's right arm before he could pull the trigger.

Ernest Eisle jumped into the fight as his father drew a knife from his pocket and leaped upon Jones from behind. Jones was slashed under the jaw close to the jugular vein. Ahrends was slashed the length of one cheek.

As Jones threw off the father, both officers opened fire a second time. The elder Eisle was shot in the left arm and thrice in the body. The boy also was shot thrice in the body.

The officers brought the wounded boy back to Pontiac with them. Other officers brought the elder Eisle and his wife into Pontiac.

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Nelson B. Bell About the Showshops

## The Civic Theater Takes A Hitch in Its Belt

Reorganized Group to Do 'The Gentle People';  
Preston Foster Arrives—With His Pants;  
This, That and the Other About the Theater

HAVING UNDERGONE the first seriously disruptive experience in its history with the ill-judged production of "D. C. Melody," the Washington Civic Theater now is starting off on the other foot. The first step has been to restore the original name of the organization and do away with the bulky title of the "Repertory Group of the Washington Theater" and set up a new staff of officers and board of governors.

A. Z. Foster Wood, prominent local attorney, is the new president and head of the board of governors, with Marvin Beers as first vice president; Elinor Lord, second vice president; D. B. Cooper, treasurer, and James D. Mann, secretary. Oliver Gasch has been re-elected counsel.

The board of governors, which includes this year's officers, is additionally comprised of Lee D. Butler, R. Minor Hudson, jr., Robert S. Langley, John G. Pollard, jr., Malcolm Ross, Benjamin Schwartz, L. Metcalf Walling, Dr. W. Hayes Yeager and William Zuckert. Mrs. Franklin D. Roosevelt, as in former years, is a member of the advisory committee, composed of a long list of distinguished Washingtonians. The Piscators, Erwin and Mrs. Maria Ley, no longer are connected with the enterprise and Leon Askin has assumed all directorial duties. William M. Girvan continues as technical director and Marjorie Rice has been made executive secretary and business manager. The Civic Theater's first production under the reorganization will be Irwin Shaw's "The Gentle People," scheduled for Wardman Park Theater, January 31 through February 5.

The Washington Civic Theater now will begin where it left off prior to its unfortunate period of misplaced confidence.

The stories of the "holocaust" in the Little Theater on Tuesday night, like those of Mark Twain's death, have been greatly exaggerated. What happened there, happens every day in motion picture theaters all over the land—a film jammed in the projection machine and a reel or two were consumed in the fireproof booth without danger to the audience. Under present-day laws, projection booths in picture theaters are safeguarded practically to the foot-proof point. Half of Tuesday night's audience at the Little, in fact, refused to leave their seats until urged to do so by the authorities, wishing to make sure that nothing was any worse than it seemed. Many of them came back a little later hoping to see the remainder of "Pastor Hall," even if in disjointed form. The "fire" was proof of the Little's safety, rather than of its danger. Business as usual.

It wasn't like that in the old days, when the industry was comparatively new. I recall one incident in an earlier incarnation when we sent an operator to the hospital for a stretch of days because, realizing what might happen, he beat a celluloid fire out with his bare hands. Another time we had to "bicycle" two reels across town between two theaters to keep both shows going after a projection-machine "head" had burned itself out. Beyond that, nothing happened. So you see.

If you are trying to keep up with the stars visiting Washington for the President's Birthday Celebrations, Preston Foster, currently winning Madeleine Carroll in "North West Mounted Police," at the Earle—the lucky this-and-that—arrived in town yesterday morning at 2:30 and was whisked directly out to Fort Myer to choose his mount for the Horse Show, coming off tomorrow and Friday nights. Remembering Errol Flynn's pantsless predicament of two years ago, somebody thought to ask him if he'd brought along his riding breeches. "Two pairs," he said, "Not to be worn simultaneously, that ought to be enough." So Preston has pantaloons. Mr. and Mrs. Hal Wallis (Louise Fazenda) and Mr. and Mrs. Edward G. Robinson, en-trained yesterday for New York, having successfully inaugurated President Roosevelt for a third term. They'll be coming back—one hopes.

Georgia's Senator George yesterday presented Archivist Connor, of the National Archives, a complete 28-reel print of "Gone With the Wind" for a permanent place in the Government records. Now on view at Loew's Palace, "G. W. T. W." is the first feature-length film of its kind ever to be adopted by Uncle Sam, as Gerald G. Gross is pointing out in other columns of today's Post. It was a brief but pleasant "party."

"Christmas Under Fire," second short subject filmed while London was under fire of enemy bombs, will be shown at the Earle, Metropolitan and Ambassador theaters, beginning Friday. As in the case of "London Can Take It," Quentin Reynolds delivers the narration—about all the recommendation the picture needs.

The Motion Picture Theater Owners of the District of Columbia, Maryland and Virginia, local wing of the M. P. T. O. A., national organization presided over by O. F. Massa Ed Kuykendall, have pledged wholehearted support of the National Defense Program and are hanging those emblematic plaques in their lobbies and box offices.

Wait 'til you hear about "Mr. and Mrs. Smith," "sneak previewed" at RKO-Keith's last night. Woo-woo!

The Captain's-and-the-King's Note  
That Inaugural crowd must have come here A. W. O. L., so fast did it get out!

### Film Table

Loew's Capitol—"Maise Was a Lady," at 11 a. m., 1:45, 4:30, 7:15 and 10 p. m. Stage shows at 12:45, 3:35, 6:20 and 9 p. m.

Earle—"North West Mounted Police," 10:30 a. m., 1:15, 4, 6:45 and 9:35 p. m. Stage shows at 12:45, 3:35, 6:20 and 9:05 p. m.

Palace—"Gone With the Wind," at 9:30 a. m., 1:20, 5:15 and 9:10 p. m.

Metropolitan—"Escape to Glory," at 11:30 a. m., 1:35, 3:35, 5:40, 7:40 and 9:45 p. m.

RKO-Keith's—"Kitty Foyle," at 11:15 a. m., 1:15, 3:20, 5:20, 7:25 and 9:30 p. m.

Columbia—"Comrade X," at 11 a. m., 1:10, 3:25, 5:40, 7:45 and 10 p. m.

Little—"A Midsummer Night's Dream," at 11 a. m., 1:05, 3:10, 5:15, 7:25 and 9:30 p. m.

Trans-Lux—Newsreels and Shorts at 10 and 11:45 a. m., 12:30, 1:45, 3, 4:15, 5:30, 6:45, 8, 9:15 and 10:45 p. m. Ambassador—"North West Mounted Police."

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looking strangely like Fred Stone's original character of the Strawman in "The Wizard of Oz," finds an easy way to give his blades a rest. Surette is only one of the stars in the cast of 75 to be seen in the "Ice-Capades of 1941," opening the new Uline Ice Arena, Third and M Streets Northeast, next Tuesday night

## In Hollywood

—With Hedda Hopper

Hollywood, Jan. 22.  
As soon as Bob Benchley finishes his job as Deanna Durbin's papa in "Nice Girl," he'll push on to Manhattan, where he'll stay till March, seeing the shows and making some more of those hilarious shorts. One of them will be all about how that



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wincing little "Milquetoast" character would like to talk back to a judge and district attorney on the witness stand. Another concerns those insidious public enemies, such as the sardine can that won't open wide enough for one of them to escape. Then there's the newspaper you can't read in the wind. "Nothing to do," says Bob, "but be philosophical about it all, and grind them under foot." Another will be Bob's own interpretation of dreams—with apologies to Freud.

Sam Wood won't direct that big musical comedy for Warners but they want him to direct "King's Row," one of the great novels of the year, because he's breaking records with "Kitty Foyle" and "Our Town." RKO's contract with Ginger Rogers has only one more picture to go. She wants \$150,000 and a percentage.

Maybe you've heard of Charlie Ruggles' monkey, Schlemiel, who's gotten Charlie into all kinds of scrapes. Heaven knows how many fines he's had to pay because of him. Well, about ten days ago, Schlemiel was missing. Charlie offered a reward of \$500 for his return, but nothing happened. Last night, the man who takes charge of Charlie's kennels heard the most terrific howl going on, rushed out and found Schlemiel trying to dislodge two puppies that had been put into his house. Which may prove there's something in that Darwin theory!

Ever since Jack Oakie ar-

rived here, he's kept a diary of his goings-on, until he went into "The Dictator." Since then he's had no time. But the other day when it was too wet to play golf, he got out the old diary and started reading it. It struck him as very funny, and he related some of the incidents in it to Darryl Zanuck, and now Zanuck wants to buy it and make it into a picture for Jack!

The innocence of childhood came out when Sam Wood was directing Betty Brewer's little sister, age 8, in "The Devil and Miss Jones," and he wanted her to read the line, "Oh, but it never rains in California." She said, "But I can't tell lies. You know, Mr. Wood, it's raining outside right now!"

Can you imagine Vera Vague as a heau? That's what she's to be in "Kiss the Boys Goodbye," with Mary Martin and Don Ameche.

George Cukor gifted Katie Hepburn with a traveling clock, engraved on back with names of all her pictures that he directed—"Bill of Divorcement"—"Little Women"—"Holiday"—"Philadelphia Story"—and at bottom is the \$2,000,000.00. "Sylvia Scarlett"—with lines drawn through it.

New Earl Carroll show is better than ever, and Marcel Lamme's feed terrific. What a crock of life there! New that Jimmy Durante is in the show, the place is crowded with celebrities. The other night I saw Judy Garland, Dave Ross, the Alan Hales (I thought Alan would beat his buttons, he laughed so), Charlie Winninger, and Jack Barrymore.

Hunt Stromberg's son gave a party for four beauties. That boy amuses me so. He picks his own winners (which win!) at Santa Anita, while his father uses the professional dopesters—and loses.

I'm expecting to hear that the Six Debonairs have been signed for a movie. Those dancers are really something.

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LAST DAY • Pat O'Brien in 'Escape to Glory'

## Louella O. Parsons'

Close-Ups and Long-Shots Of the Motion Picture Scene

Hollywood, Jan. 22 (INS).—Walt Disney is out of the academy award race this year. Walt, who romped home with five Oscars in a row for his silly symphonies, will not even be represented when the 1940 statuettes are handed out.

This is interesting news to all makers of short subjects, who have come to believe that there wasn't a chance to compete with Disney. Well, this year the short field is wide open, for not a single Disney film will be placed in competition.

Today Walt's representative, Gunther Lessing, explained the reason why Disney is not competing for honors. He said they made no silly symphonies because all of their best artists were at work on "Fantasia." Disney has three features coming out in 1941 and, because of the large expenditure, he believes it is important to focus public attention on his feature productions, such as "Fantasia." Walt says, however, his decision must not be construed as in any way reflecting an antagonistic attitude toward the academy.

Never let it be said that Hollywood doesn't turn the other cheek, for after the first excitement died down Robert Montgomery's bias against the industry didn't hurt him in the slightest. He is thriving like the proverbial green bay tree, with two companies asking for him. Columbia has requested Montgomery for "Bedtime Story," while Universal is asking that M-G-M lend their problem child for the Irene Dunne picture, "Unfinished Business." It seems M-G-M owes Universal a star on an old deal. In spite of Bob's low opinion of Hollywood art, he and Irene would be a good team at the box office, and with Gregory LaCava directing, even the critical Mr. Montgomery couldn't find fault.

"Foreign Correspondent"

### Palace

Threatening to hold up the Palace future bookings indefinitely, "Gone With the Wind" has been continued at the F Street house for a second week of its "first anniversary" engagement.

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It is necessary to point out that this is the three-hour 47-minute screen adaptation of the Margaret Mitchell novel, with Vivien Leigh, Clark Gable, Olivia de Havilland, Leslie Howard, Thomas Mitchell and Hattie McDaniel playing in top technical roles, the most talked-of national figures of the day? Or hadn't you heard?

### AMUSEMENTS

"Foreign Correspondent"

was one of the big box office hits of the year and put Walter Wanger right back at the top as a producer. So today it was interesting to hear that "Sundown," which starts serially in a national magazine this week, for immediate filming. Barre Lyndon, who authored the yarn, isn't new to the movies. Though in his early 40's, he's authored such hits as "The Amazing Dr. Clitterhouse" and "The Man in Half Moon Street."

Raoul Walsh, who has just been given a year's contract at Warners with a very nice raise in salary, is all excited over doing a story on the life of Pancho Villa. Some years ago, when Raoul was a young director, he did a story on the life of Mexico's favorite character. But, of course, that was before the talkies. Now Raoul would like to go to Mexico City to talk to President Camacho about filming the life of Villa.

Snapshots of Hollywood collected at random: The newest twosome in town is Nancy Kelly and John Carroll, but don't take it too seriously—John isn't in a marrying mood. Keep your eye on Alice Faye and Charles Wrightman, Texas oil man. It is the first time Alice has been really serious since she and Tony Martin parted. They were at the Mocambo and Ciro's. Kenny Baker, orchestra leader, and Dorothea Kent, are pricing

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## First Things First

Thinking on the food problem in captive Europe continues in terms of the effect upon the occupied countries of the British blockade. No notice at all, so far as we have been able to see, is taken of the German blockade. And yet the Nazis, having wielded this economic weapon mercilessly upon their captives, are counting upon it likewise to reduce even the British to their knees. This is the report of Wallace R. Deuel, who has just returned from Berlin on assignment from the Chicago Daily News. Mr. Deuel says the Nazis think that their blockade, executed by U-boats, surface raiders and the German air force, will choke off England's supplies within the next few months "to the point that the British will barely be able to go on fighting, no matter how good their morale may be." Does such a situation in the captive countries, such a prospect for Britain, concern the Hooverites? Seemingly, so far as we have noticed, not at all.

The Germans themselves are now said to be getting along fairly comfortably on the loot obtained at the expense of the captives. At least this is their claim. Almost every German newspaper today insists that they are well off, and that we should be sorry for the British, who are held to be feeling the German blockade badly. Likewise the papers paint a rosy picture of the self-sufficiency of a Germanized Europe. What they mean is that the superior folk in Germany will be able to live well on the tribute of a slave Europe. "Had it not been possible for them," says Mein Kampf, "to employ members of the inferior race which they have conquered, the Aryans would never have been in a position to take the first steps on the road which led them to a later type of culture. The members of the inferior race became the first mechanical tools in the service of a growing civilization." The blockade aimed at setting up such a helot civilization deserves our concern—not the blockade which is aimed at preventing it.

## Elusive Criminals

In this year of conflict forces of peace in many parts of the world are conducting one of the greatest detective campaigns of all time. The object of the hunt is a band of international criminals which follows the lanes men travel, appears in unexpected quarters and strikes down millions. Not all of these criminals have been observed. Their habits do not adhere to any recognized pattern, except that they are known to come out of their mysterious strongholds in times of natural disaster—war, earthquake, flood. The present hostilities may provide the opportunity for study which will lead to their downfall—the defeat of the viruses of influenza.

The present outbreak of influenza began in Hawaii. It appeared on the West Coast of the United States last fall, probably brought in on troopships, and reached epidemic proportions there in November. From California the disease spread rapidly over the Southwest through Oklahoma, Texas and Louisiana. Early this month an epidemic struck New England. Meanwhile the disease appeared in the Carolinas, and spread to communities all over Virginia. Latest reports from Virginia reveal a belief that the local epidemics there are past the peak. Schools that had been closed are reopening, and attendance at other schools is improving. Only Fredericksburg, the closest point at which the malady has approached the District in force, still seems to be in the throes of a mild epidemic.

In the Nation at large influenza still is on the increase. Last week the highest incidence since 1932 was reached, with 89,828 cases reported, as compared with 77,144 the previous week. In the District, though the number of cases appears to be rising, both health and school authorities believe we have escaped so far the inconveniences experienced north, south and west of our locality.

These epidemics of mild influenza promise a chance to study and overcome the disease without the exhausting and grievous conditions attending a pandemic such as that of 1918. In that year, it is estimated, 550,000 persons in the United States alone died as a consequence of influenza. It is true that the pandemic of 1918 followed just such a mild wave as this. But scientists believe they are on the threshold of great results. As

Mona Gardner relates in the February Atlantic Monthly, three vaccines are being produced, and their effect is being studied intensively. The fact that it now takes three weeks to determine the type of virus causing an epidemic hinders the use of vaccines in time, but this difficulty may be overcome by substituting a preventive mouth spray made of "pooled" human serum from some seventy-five persons of high immunity. Before another vicious pandemic, it is hoped, but surely in the near future, the menace will be ended.

## Freedom To Act

Obstructionists to the lend-lease bill have perfected a strategy for putting the all-outers on the defensive on specific possibilities of aid to Britain. And they obtained a minor victory at the President's Tuesday press conference. Mr. Roosevelt disclaimed any plan for conveying supplies to Britain, though the logic of all-out aid to Britain is that we intend to dam up British resistance as our front line of defense so that "the democratic cause shall prevail."

The way to dam up a front line of defense is to dam it up. Nobody ever heard of front-line defenders, engaged with the enemy, having to hurry back to the support lines in order to obtain needed supplies. For the time being the Battle of Britain has entered a period of suspended animation. But at any moment, in the view of our service department chiefs, the onslaught may be renewed, and, in consequence, we shall soon be entering upon the most critical phase of the war. There should be no ruling out, in advance, of the aid most necessary in such an emergency.

For this reason, and on the theory that Britain is our first line of defense, the lend-lease bill was submitted to Congress. It is based upon the President's view that "our own security will never permit us to acquiesce in a peace dictated by aggressors and sponsored by appeasers." Accordingly the President asked in the measure under discussion that his hands should be free in meeting all contingencies. Having accepted the all-out policy, according to all the polls, the American people want to see that policy carried to a victorious conclusion. They are not in the habit of seeing a policy pursued half-heartedly. In this respect they know that peace is imperiled more by giving "too little too late" than in waiting in a half-armistice for the enemy to come swarming over the front line.

At the same time the possession of wide powers on the part of the President requires that he be supported by wise and prudent counsel. Mr. Roosevelt, at Tuesday's press conference, rejected a Supreme Council of Defense. This, indeed, might clog decisions, if, as Gov. Stassen seems to suggest, the council were to be a sort of mingling of the executive and the legislative in the actual conduct of our foreign relations, or as these have now become, our strategy. But the President should have some sort of a council at his very elbow in making all-out aid decisive. A plan that would insure expert counsel and at the same time make for swift and decisive action would be to put the Chief of Staff of the Army and the Chief of Naval Operations on an advisory council composed of all the heads of departments now engaged in implementing aid to Britain. This would give to them a connection with our national policy which they cannot feel in their present departmental roles.

In short, the President's hands should be kept free in sustaining the British, but they should be strengthened.

## The Fall Of Tobruk

When Bardia fell, early this year, Fascist newspapers comforted the Italian people with the hope that the British would soon overextend themselves. The British drive, which began in December with an attack on the Italian-held base at Sidi Barrani, had, with the capture of Bardia, covered a distance of over 75 miles. Yet the drive has continued. And now, a little more than two weeks after Bardia's fall, the army of the Nile has penetrated Tobruk.

The assault on this Italian base followed the pattern of earlier British victories in the Libyan desert. First there was a quick drive with mechanized forces beyond the objective, thus cutting off the garrison at Tobruk from any chance of escape to Derna or Benghazi or any possibility of being reinforced from the west. There was, again, highly effective cooperation between the British ground and air forces and fleet. The direct assault, when it came, was only the final step to victory.

The British now control not only two important ports and air bases in Libya but also some 85 miles of the Libyan coast. And while the terrain to the west is more rugged and thus less conducive to the kind of desert warfare which the British have waged with such remarkable success during the last six weeks, they will have an ally in the weakening morale of Italy's Libyan armies.

Nor will the repercussions of the fall of Tobruk be confined to Libya alone. As the Italians are driven back, it becomes increasingly difficult for them to reinforce or supply their armies in East

Africa. And the same feeling of hopelessness that appears to have possessed the army in Libya is now beginning to be apparent in other Italian colonies. Mussolini's attempt to build a new Roman empire is going up in smoke.

## Job For A Jurist

Back in the days of the first Roosevelt, James Clark McReynolds made a reputation as a trustbuster and was not infrequently referred to as a radical. When Woodrow Wilson became President in 1913 he made Mr. McReynolds Attorney General in an administration pledged to a policy of "liberal democracy." Less than two years later, Mr. McReynolds was elevated to the Supreme Court after becoming entangled in a controversy with Secretary of the Treasury McAdoo. As he now plans to retire, he is by far the most conservative and inflexible member of the Supreme Bench.

Presumably Wilson believed that Mr. McReynolds would be a liberal jurist. The record which the justice will leave behind him when he steps down on February 1 illustrates the impossibility of determining how men regarded as liberals in one era will react to constitutional issues raised by a later generation. Attorney General Jackson points out in his new book, "The Struggle for Judicial Supremacy," that the Supreme Court often makes a greater impression upon new appointees than they make upon the court. It is possible, however, that the change in Justice McReynolds is no greater than the change in the popular conception of the court and the Constitution it interprets.

The most significant fact about Justice McReynolds' withdrawal from active service is that it will give President Roosevelt an opportunity to name a sixth jurist to the Supreme Bench. Already five of the nine justices are Roosevelt appointees. Each of these jurists, moreover, has been drawn from the President's official family or his close associates. If a reasonable balance in the membership of the court is to be preserved, he will have to depart from that practice in making the new selection.

The ideal policy, of course, is to elevate to the Supreme Bench only men who have distinguished themselves in jurisprudence elsewhere. If Presidents adhered strictly to that policy, there would be little cause for concern as to whether men of liberal or conservative economic views were chosen. But Mr. Roosevelt has not been guided by that logic in the past. Some of his appointees are eminently qualified jurists, but the one qualification which is common to all of them is that they are sympathetic with his views on constitutional issues. With the last ultraconservative stepping down from the bench, there is now no possible excuse to bar from eligibility to this high office all jurists and lawyers who do not happen to carry the New Deal label.

Indeed, the President has a double responsibility because of the fact that he is now serving his third term. The people set aside the two-term tradition in favor of Mr. Roosevelt because of the great emergency which the country is facing. Certainly he should not take advantage of that fact to fill the court with men close to his administration. No other President, except Washington, has had the privilege of appointing more than five justices, and several Chief Executives have selected justices of widely varying political and economic backgrounds to preserve a reasonable balance in this tribunal to which such weighty decisions are entrusted.

Care should be exercised to prevent the selection of too many jurists from one section of the country. Geographical distribution is not, however, a factor of paramount importance in naming judges. President Roosevelt would win widespread applause by appointing the most outstanding jurist to be found in any part of the Nation. And if he does not wish to go to the bench for a new justice, he may be expected at least to exercise that degree of restraint which his supporters have so frequently urged upon the court when constitutional issues are being decided.

## SONG OF THE GREEK SHEPHERDS

44 B. C.

We are the shepherds of Helicon,  
We are the men who sleep  
On a mountain-slope of shadows,  
Watched by our quiet sheep.  
The nights are cold on Helicon—  
But a lamb in the crook of my arm  
Its soft wool pressed against my breast  
Has served to keep me warm  
The air is sweet with mountain herbs  
Where rue and thyme are blent,  
The small black boafs of the bundling sheep  
Click on the steep descent.  
The sun sets bright on Helicon  
Gilding the lamb's white fleece,  
The flock has sought the theep-fold—  
And over all is peace.

MARY ATWATER TAYLOR

## I'm Not Mad At You, Joe!



## Letters To The Editor

### "We, The People"

Would you publish a letter in your paper that will in effect inform those who represent "We the people" in Washington of just what we think and want in these conflicting days?

Millions of us did not vote for Mr. Roosevelt, but we are not thinking about politics now, and we ask those who represent us in Washington to forget politics now. Tell them that we earnestly desire that England win this war, and after separating all the chaff from the news, we still want England to win this war, and here is why: We know there is much wrong in England, and in France, and in all other countries, and even in our own country, but we do not feel that the German people need dominate those countries or our country in order to set these things right. We feel that these things will be set right without that necessity, even though the war may bring about many changes. And with these changes we feel the better effect will still be without German domination, or German culture, or German leadership. We feel that the disease that is spreading throughout the world is very contagious and stern measures must be supported in order to stamp it out. We know that the deeper such contagion goes, the harder and more devastating it is to eradicate it. Therefore we are willing that Mr. Roosevelt be granted the power necessary to step around red tape and get results. We do not fear that there is trickery behind Mr. Roosevelt's idea that will, eventually, make him a dictator because we know that we would not tolerate any loss of our freedom from Mr. Roosevelt or any other man, for before we would submit to that we would die to the last one. We are more afraid of petty politicians than we are of Mr. Roosevelt, and we know petty politicians exist in both parties, but right now we are interested in England winning a war, and since we

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have gone this far, we do not want to stand by while London burns. After all, en masse, they are of us, for of all nations in the world, we do all speak the same language, and of all nations on the face of the earth, there is no other that speaks it with us, except England. Let them live, and let us act now before it is too late. We must not weep again while a nation sends out frantic pleading calls for planes, in such a pitiful and last minute appeal. Past history does not change the facts, but future history may change us, and it is this history we are shaping today. We must not fail.  
R. R. McBRIDE  
Columbus, Ohio, Jan. 19.

### A Fox Is A Fox

Blaming the capitalist or democratic system for war reminds me more than a little of a certain member of a famous family of Thespians who, during the past year, publicly blamed the fairer sex for the frailties of the male.

How in the name of common sense can a system of government, and particularly a system founded on the principles of justice, equality and freedom be blamed for the influence of fear, hatred and greed in the hearts of mankind?

If the capitalist system is responsible for war, what was it that caused noncapitalist Russia to hop little Finland, or the equally noncapitalist Germany to invade Poland?

To my way of thinking, a fox is a fox, be it white, black, red, gray or silver.  
J. J. SPERRY,  
Woodstock, Va., Jan. 15.

### Inaugural Goobers

Washington shore is filled up with folks from everywhere. Seems like they dropped in from every section of the United States to see President Roosevelt get his third term in the White House. Our streets are plumb full of people from the North, South, East and West. They are happy, smiling, and mighty democratic. They laugh and munch goobers just like real democratic human beings on a lark are supposed to do. You see, goobers (the elect up here call 'em peanuts) keep folks in good humor, ward off hunger, give the jaws much-needed exercise, and keep wagging tongues still. Nobody ever heard a squirrel barking when he had plenty of goobers to eat.

We grow a lot of goobers down in Beat Four, Panola County, Miss., where I come from, and when I was a small town hillbilly reporter back there, I lived on 'em a lot of the time, especially in winter, when other kinds of food were scarce. I attribute my old age (I am 70) in large part to the goobers I ate in my younger days, because when I was full of good, wholesome Beat Four goobers, I didn't have a hankering for ardent spirits, gas-fornating food and other things calculated to shorten a feller's life.

Through the Post I congratulate the Inaugural Committee on the great show they arranged for President Roosevelt and his fine First Lady, and the great crowds they brought here for their third Inaugural.  
JIM SAM MCCARTHY,  
Washington, Jan. 18.

### Three Sons

A friend of mine has three sons. This week one enlisted in the United States Army, one in the U. S. Navy, and one in a British tank corps.  
F. G. H.  
Billings, Mont., Jan. 11.

## Machiavelli's Writings Reveal Democratic Principles; Perusal Shows Absurdity of Blaming This War on Him

For some time I have been noticing in both this department and in the columns a rising animus against a certain Florentine, Niccolò Machiavelli. It seems as if the ultimate blame for the present political mess is to be attributed to said Florentine, because of a book that he wrote, entitled "The Prince."

In the first place, one would gather from the tenor of the diatribes against Machiavelli that all he wrote was "The Prince," that he did not write such a book as his "Discourses" or his "History of Florence," or several other books of equal merit. If anything, Machiavelli was certainly not a man of one book.

In the second place, even when discussing "The Prince," the writers forget two rudimentary principles of all scholarship, namely: to understand the environment in which the book was written, and never to take the "text out of the context and make it a pretext."

Let us take the first point, briefly. What was Machiavelli's problem? It was to unify Italy against the rapacious demands of the several princes that were using their ill-gotten power to deprive the mass of Italians of their economic and political needs. With the Strozzi, the Borgias, the Medici, Julius II and others continually fighting among themselves, and making Italy an easy prey for the French, Spaniards and Burgundians, it was vitally necessary for Italy to unite under a single ruler, and by this union fight off the foreign powers and promote her own development. This is a simple rule in all national development, and even in our own country we found it practiced during the 1790's and early 1800's.

In order to achieve this union, it was equally necessary for Machiavelli's ruler, or prince, as he called

him, to be able to enforce his legislation so that his power would not be undermined by intrigues promoted by those petty principalities that would object to having their private kingdoms not operated to their own advantage.

Here, then, is the crux of the matter. In the twentieth century it does not sound bad to speak of depriving "petty kingdoms of private advantages," because we can, and do, argue today that they have a right to their own governments. This, however, is a moral argument, and shall be dealt with shortly. Suffice it to say at this time, with reference to the powers of the prince, Machiavelli intended only to "promote a more perfect union," so that Italy would be able to govern herself literally. This is indicated by Machiavelli's own proposals for the reform of the Florentine Constitution, in which he said, "The mass of the people must be satisfied, and to this end it is necessary to reopen the halls of the Great Council—without satisfying the masses, no stable republic has ever been established."

Now, on the basis that he wanted Italy to be free from foreign domination and internal military quarrels, which were draining the lifeblood of Italians everywhere, how did he treat the power of the prince? Here is where the "Machiavellians" seem to fail. Let us start with the basic fact of all free governments, religious freedom. What has Machiavelli to say about this? In his "Discourses" he says: "There is no surer prognostic of impending ruin in any State than to see divine worship neglected or despised—all rulers and commonwealths ought to have a special regard to the fundamental principles of religion." What about the practice of cruelty? Here, again, in his "Discourses" he

says: "Tenderness and humanity have sometimes a much greater effect upon the minds of men than any sort of violence which can possibly be used." Again, "A ruler must lay solid foundations, since otherwise he will be destroyed, and the foundation of all States are good laws." A prince should be "careful so that to see and hear him, we would think him to be the embodiment of mercy, humanity and religion." As for Machiavelli's attitude toward the people, let us suffice: "The multitude are wiser and more constant than a ruler; when all the good and ill qualities are duly stated betwixt a ruler and popular government, it will plainly appear that the balance will be greatly in favor of the latter" (Dis. I, 58).

All I have tried to do is to observe that it is a grave error to claim to be Machiavellians for what his so-called admirers did. A man cannot be condemned because his children have eaten sour grapes; that would be Biblical law in reverse. I am not denying that Machiavelli made many statements that promoted the State. These can be explained, I believe, only through an analysis of what he had in mind. In conclusion, there seems to be a certain predilection always to blame some innocent thinker for what his false apostles claim to be his teachings. In the last war it was Nietzsche. When people began to read Nietzsche and discovered that he had less use for Prussianism and theories of German superiority than the Allies, they dropped him. Now, it seems as if Machiavelli is to bear the onus of responsibility. This isn't intellectually fair or historically justified. If we do need a scapegoat, let's at least choose one who really had something to do with it.  
IRVING LEVITAS,  
Washington, Jan. 22.

## The Post Impressionist

### Little Refuge

MEMORY is something like one of those old fashioned stereoscopes found in mid-Victorian parlors. We can pick at random from the stack of pictures fled away in our minds, or perhaps choose a series with a degree of continuity, sliding them back and forth until they come into focus.

Near the very bottom of my pack is a group I had almost forgotten until current events recalled them to me; but newspaper pictures of refugee children, small strangers in a strange land, bring them back vividly.

Things happen very suddenly to 4-year-olds. Growups are prepared for changes by family conferences, but little pitchers have only their long ears to warn them of approaching crises. I knew, of course, that Zapata was a bandit, and very fierce, and that the servants were whispering that the Zapatistas were coming. Zazualpan, nestled in its mountain fastnesses, became an unsafe place for Americans, especially those with families. So the burros were packed and the horses saddled, and we said farewell to the house with its walled garden, and to the old town guarded by snow-capped volcanoes.

I remember little of the first part of the journey, possibly because there was no strangeness about it. Going to Mexico City was always a joyous event. Since I was much too young to have a horse of my own, I sat in a small seat our mozo had fitted over the horn of his saddle. The horse was gentle and sure-footed, and from the safety of my chair I could see my brother and sister climb the barrancas and disappear behind boulders until my father threatened to change their horses for burros. It took us three days to reach Mexico City.

Crossing the Gulf, everyone was seasick except the captain. During the height of the storm, my brother asked a steward how far we were from land. The steward pointed straight down. "One mile," he said tersely. The episode has been a family joke ever since, to be quoted in times of crisis. The rest of the trip is blurred, which is just as well. The next clear picture is of a big freight room with a great many very tall people making much of us. I tried to warm my hands, and an old man with a white beard took me in his lap and rubbed my palms until they tingled. Everyone was talking at once, but they were speaking in English. I could have understood if they had spoken more slowly, or one at a time. My mother and father always use English in talking to me, but I answered in Spanish.

Suddenly everyone was looking at me, and then they took me into another room to see an enormous doll house with doll in every room. They all waited for me to say something, but I didn't know what to say. One of the aunts leaned down and whispered in my ear, "Grandpapa made it for you, sweetheart. Don't you like it?" I nodded and tried to think, but no words would come. My mother always says English in talking to me, but I answered in Spanish.

When we went back to the other room, a big black and white dog was lying on the floor. My mother knew all about him, for my mother had told me many times. "Es Spot!" I screamed joyfully, and ran to pet him, but all the laughter drove him away. It was a long time before my tongue accustomed as it was to the soft vowel sounds, learned to his a syllable initial.

I must have been very tired, for the next thing I knew I was in bed. Grandpapa leaned over to kiss my forehead, and felt under the covers to see if my feet were warm. They left the door open when they went downstairs.

There was a good fire in my room, and the low flames glowed red against the blackened chimney. The corners were filled with menacing shadows, and I buried my face in the pillow to shut them away. Trinidad, my nurse, had told me lurid stories when my mother was not about; stories that went back into past before the Cross came to lay the dreadful spirits that belched forth with the smoke and fire of the volcanoes. I wish I could remember them now, but only the shudders that accompanied them have stayed with me.

Then, with a surge of loneliness, I wanted Trinidad, tall stories and all. I wanted Angelina, the cook, who grunted when she ground corn on her metate. I wanted to play in the familiar safety of the walled garden on the mountainside to look down from the veranda and see the church bells swinging in the steeple far below. I wanted Don Tio De Miro, my beloved friend of the huge black mustaches, to borrow me for the day and take me home to the dear Senora, childless and lonely. I wanted to hear the horses' hoofs on the cobblestones, and see the gates open when my father came home from the mine. These are the things I remember most vividly to-day, and I longed for them with the wordless anguish of homesickness.

My mother must have heard me sobbing, for she came in and closed the door behind her. She sat down on my bed and held my hand, and the shadow people melted away. After a while she sang an old Spanish lullaby to me. I can't remember the words, but the melody is still very clear, and I sometimes hum it to quiet my children.

When she kissed me and whispered, "Buenas noches, Chiquita," I was drowsy and contented. I was more fortunate than I knew, to have my mother with me in the strange new land.  
HAZEL SCAIFF DETWILER.



# Britain Hits Its Stride

Churchill's Test.

## 'Combing Tails to Magnify Teeth'

London, Jan. 22.—The test of Prime Minister Churchill's remarks in Commons today on manpower and the war follows:

At the root of all questions of manpower lies the size of the army. The navy and air force make gigantic demands upon us, but the great customer for man power is the army.

The size of the army was settled within a few weeks of the outbreak of the war. We have not altered that decision except to the extent of providing equipment for ten more divisions. The scale of the army is the same as that in November, 1939. I am not going to say how many divisions it amounts to but it is a very large and formidable force both for fighting overseas and for defense.

Counting the home guard we have about 4,000,000 armed men. At the time when the scale of the army was settled in 1939, a vast series of factories, plants and establishments were set on foot, sufficient to provide this army of the size set with all the equipment it required in continuous action on the continent of Europe against the German enemy.

The bulk of the new plants are just coming into production. Many are structurally incomplete. As these plants come into operation, constructing services, including those who lay on water, light, power and munition workers have to be assembled. All this takes time and you cannot go faster than a certain speed.

PERHAPS you can go a little faster but the stages cannot be omitted.

It is not possible to make a warship go to sea and fight against the enemy until first have been lighted and the water in the boilers changed from cold to tepid to warm to hot. The steam is generated and the vast power is given. While this is going on there is no use rushing about uttering alarming cries. It is not very good thing to do if you happen to be one of the people who did not start warming up the boilers in good time.

I was the minister of munitions in July, 1918, and am therefore able to measure more or less the intensity of the munitions production then going on at a productive level. I was encouraged when I learned some weeks ago that in the sixteenth month of this war we have already surpassed by several hundred thousand workers the number of persons employed in munitions and aircraft production in the forty-eighth month of the last war. I knew that the productivity per pair of hands was greatly increased in the interval.

I HAVE kept myself constantly informed of the great tide of new factories rising to productive level. I say that in the next six months we shall have for the first time an intense demand on man power and woman power. This is the problem that lies before us. We are now about to enter for the first time in this war a period of man power stringency because for the first time we come to have the apparatus and the layout which this man power and woman power will be required to handle. That is the reason for the far-reaching declaration of which the minister of labor thought it necessary to apprise the House and the country in his statement yesterday.

Now is the time when the full war effort will gradually be able to be realized as plants come into being.

It is quite true there are not quite so many women employed as in 1918. There are two reasons—one, that so many more were gainfully employed before the war situation; the other, that those usually engaged in the shell filling factories, which is the front line of munition works, are only just coming into it.

I, OF COURSE, am aware that an army mechanized makes an enormous additional drain upon the administrative branches which lie behind the fighting vehicles, but I have thought, nevertheless, for some time that the army and the air force, the navy not so much, have a great need for what I may call combining their tails in order to magnify their teeth.

I have sometimes thought there was considerable scope for a saving of man power in the rearward and preparatory services.

I look for considerable combings and scrapings in the air force and the army, not to cut them down but in order to reduce their demands on the man power market during the coming stringent months, so that we shall be able to man the new factories and shipyards and till the new fields which are coming into production.

Both the fighting services engaged in this process in the present time, and the army in particular, are making a great saving in their rearward services in order to forward and sharpen the expansion which is necessary.

IN ALL this the army has been greatly eased because in the mercy of God we had no slaughter or wastage comparable with the last war.

It is amazing that after 18 months' war with the greatest state armed with the most deadly weapons, not more than 80,000 British folk, nearly half of whom were civilians, have lost their life by enemy action.

That is a terrible figure, but it is far less than the lives lost in a single protracted battle on the Western Front in 1916, 1917, or 1918, and, therefore, while our army is growing every week in power, strength, efficiency and equipment, and a decided expansion is in progress, it is the munition factories and agriculture, rather than the fighting services, which will in the next five or six months make the chief demand for man power on the public. It is to these problems and tasks that we are now addressing ourselves.

Criticism is easy; achievement more difficult. I do not pretend that there is no room for improvement and acceleration even apart from the methodical expansion which is going on.

IT IS certain the peak of our war effort has not yet been reached, cannot be reached, until plants are all working. But my mind goes back to a few weeks ago when our critics were crying out about our inaction against Italy and wondering whose was the hidden hand that was shielding Mussolini from British wrath.

At the time, I endured these taunts in silence because I knew the large and daring measures which had already been taken by which it has been since rendered possible to gain the splendid victories in Libya, Sidi Barrani and Bardia. And it may well be that while I am speaking to you and all it contains are in our hands. Apart from the Libyan victories, extremely important developments are taking place on both frontiers of Abyssinia and Eritrea which may in themselves be productive of fruitful and extremely pregnant results.

Far be it from me to paint a rosy picture of the future. I do not think we should be justified in using any but sober tones and colors while our people and our empire and, indeed, the whole English-speaking world are passing through the dark and deadly valley. But I should be failing in my duty on the other side if I were not to convey to the House a true impression. Namely that the great nation has got into its war stride.

IT IS accomplishing the transition from days of peace and comfort to those of supreme organized, indomitable exertion. Still more should I fail in my duty if I were to suggest that the future with all its horrors contained any element which justified lassitude, despondency or despair.

His Majesty's government welcome all the impulse which the House of Commons and the press and public opinion of this island can give us in driving forward our war effort and trying to gain an earlier inch or more fruitful hour whereas it may be possible. But I have no doubt that the House in its overwhelming majority will wish to give its tribute of encouragement as well as its dose of correction and will lend its own heave of loyal strength to the forward surges that now have begun. (Cheers.)

THE War Department, explaining that it wanted to prevent skyrocketing prices for canned goods yesterday asked that the canning industry be granted a temporary exemption from the law requiring that overtime rates be paid to employees for work in excess of 40 hours a week on Government contracts.

The request for this exemption, which would have a four-to-six week's limit and apply only to plants canning perishables, was made to the public contracts division of the Labor Department, administrator of the Walsh-Healey public contracts law.

Representatives of the C. I. O. and the A. F. L. both opposed the application on the ground that no shortage of labor existed and therefore hours of work should not be lengthened. A hearing was scheduled January 27.

Off The Record

By Ed Reed

Where's that floorwalker?

Because of illness Walter Lippmann's column does not appear today.

Mr. Lippmann is suffering from an attack of grippe. He hopes to be back at his desk shortly.

# Fair Enough

By Westbrook Pegler

## Secret British Ally

AFTER ALL, fair is fair, so those Americans who have tossed off unkind cracks at Benito Mussolini should now salute Benny the Bum as an ally rather than an enemy in the war, and thank the poor stumbling clown for his help to date, which seems likely to increase as time goes on. Up to now he has performed two great services for our side: First, he made it possible for the British to obtain another toehold in Europe after Hitler, at the cost of a vast effort, had thrown them across the Channel, and, more recently, he had compelled Hitler to divert from the attack on Britain a considerable force of planes, pilots and auxiliary personnel to save the bum's dashing invincibles in Albania and Egypt.

These facts add up to the equivalent of an important military victory for Britain, for they have made it necessary for Hitler to fight on another front at a time when he might have been permitted to concentrate everything on the attack on Britain.

NOW WE CAN understand why Hitler wanted Mussolini to remain neutral, and why the British and, at the time, the French hoped he would not come in on their side, anyway. Had he remained neutral the invincibles would still be a threat of unknown gravity in Africa and Albania, whereas now everybody knows that they are the same bums who added to Caporetto and Adowa, that they can't fight a lick and, as an ally, are a military liability to Der Fuehrer.

For nearly 20 years Benny the Bum was building this low-comedy army of his, but now the record proves that they weren't any good for anything but parades and for chasing unarmed savages with tanks and bombing planes. They have answered the bell four times, and the only fight they won was a felonious assault, rather than a war, on Haile Selassie's barefoot boys.

EVERYBODY ELSE has slapped them silly, and even when France was dying and Benay leaped in to take part in the kill the fallen victim gave him a kick in the face which made him quit after a few kilometers. Had the bum entered the war on the side of the Allies, Hitler would have romped over him in a few days and established himself all over the Mediterranean, for, obviously, the invincibles, who couldn't hold off the Greeks and couldn't even handle the British far from home while their main effort was directed to resistance in the British Isles, would have been a pushover for the avalanche which crushed France.

To realize what an absurd clown Mussolini is it is necessary only to observe that the English slapped his face, pulled his silly cap down over his bangs and made him run all the way home through crowded streets without his pants while the Battle of Britain was raging with a ferocity unequalled since Verdun. And this is the same tramp who was talking about the cowardly British and telling the world what he was going to do to them. He is the one who had 10,000,000 bayonets out of a population of 40,000,000 people, and used to yell about his vast fleets of planes and suicidal pilots but when the test came, had to holler to Hitler to come down and save him from sand lot opposition.

IT IS NATURAL to laugh at Benny, for he is sure-fire comedy, but you can't hate a man who has turned enemy in a war, and Mussolini certainly has done Hitler no good. More important than that, however, the palooka has given the world proof that dictatorship, with all its guile and power over people is not necessarily the most efficient form of government for a nation in peace or in war.

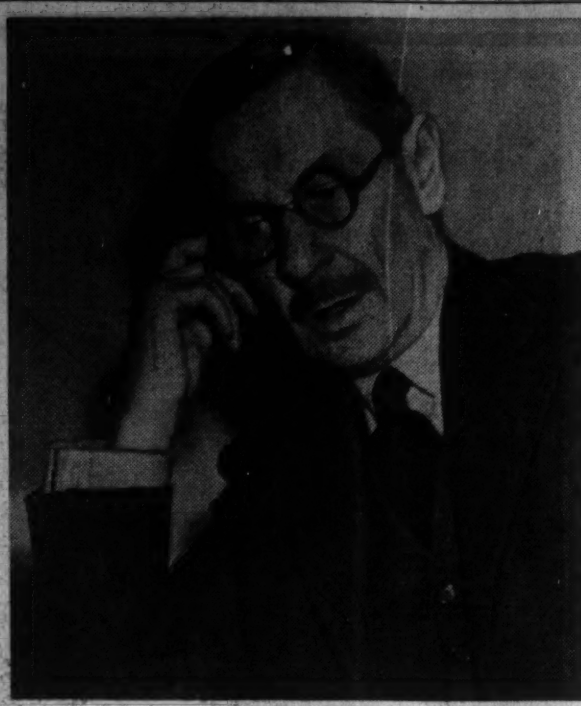
No dictatorship was more strict than Benny's, and the people were compelled to give him everything over all those years—manpower, obedience, wealth and cooperation—but when war came and the British varly was engaged against the Germans Mussolini couldn't even reach the line of scrimmage, much less gain a yard, against their scrubs, and was forced to send for ringers lest he be chased clear out of the stadium.

It may be true that this puts Hitler on the Mediterranean, but that makes him switch and spread himself, too, and until Benny the Bum is definitely fired by Der Fuehrer it will be necessary to let him play at being Caesar with his invincibles, which will mean easier going for the British than if Hitler were in charge. Certainly it is cheaper and easier to fight the poor tramp than to carry him bodily as an ally and rescue him from his enemies. So for his decision to throw in with Hitler and ball up the play on the other side Benny the Bum deserves the thanks of those who hold him in contempt.

Walter Lippmann

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SIR HUGH DOWDING  
His visit to the United States is described by Messrs. Alsop and Kintner as one of the two influences which have altered American opinion as to Britain's chances in the air

# Capital Parade

By Joseph Alsop And Robert Kintner

## Cheerful News From Britain

TWO INFLUENCES have startlingly altered expert opinion on Britain's chances in the coming all-out air battle with Germany. The first is the stream of encouraging reports from American observers stationed in Britain, who continue unanimous that German bombing has done surprisingly little damage to productive facilities. The second is the visit to this country of Air Chief Marshal Sir Hugh Dowding. And of the two, the Dowding visit is more important.

Dowding's nickname is "Stuffy," and his advance notices were far from favorable. Although supremely qualified to speak with authority by his experience as commander of the Hurricane and Spitfire pilots who saved Britain in the twilight six days of September, he was said to be the least promising envoy to America in the entire fighting services of Britain. Now, however, he has begun work with our generals, has met informally with many non-military high officials, and has lectured at the War Department to the top men in the air force. And although some of our air experts consider him somewhat optimistic, he has both made a good impression and carried conviction.

DOWDING'S MOST dramatic report concerned progress made on the British device for combating night air attacks. The nature and even the effects of the device are closely guarded military secrets, revealed only to the chiefs of our air forces, who are adapting it for our use. But those who have all the data in their possession are willing to disclose that the device permits a fighter plane to locate and attack a bomber, even in the darkest of nights. Although they say there are still some bugs in it, they confess themselves astonished by Dowding's evidence on the success of the device to date.

Furthermore, they see in it strategic significance far beyond the prevention of the big night bombing raids. They even hope it may be used to intercept the Germans' long-range, four-engine bombers on their way out over the Atlantic to spot incoming British convoys for the submarine fleet.

American airmen received the data on the little device with mingled relief and astonishment. By no means all that Dowding brought, however. His information has also done much to dispel the notion that the big night-bombing raids are totally destructive. In the famous Coventry raid, for instance, he reported that a ride factory and a plant making the small Siddle engines for training planes were the only ones seriously damaged, while the city's machine tool shops and the vital Rolls Royce engine factory nearby escaped virtually unscathed. Interruption of production by damage to electric power lines and other public utilities rarely lasts more than three or four days, he said. And he insists that although the rate of increase has naturally been slowed by bombing, British aircraft production is still gaining perceptibly every month.

THE HE ATTRIBUTES to the decentralization system, by which parts of every plane model are subcontracted to hundreds of small shops, sub-assemblies to scores of slightly larger ones, and even final assemblies are simultaneously carried on in several plants. Because of this, he explains, production can never be really knocked out. Moreover he states that despite the best German efforts, only one major final assembly plant, Shorts' big factory at Rochester, where the Sunderland flying boats are made, has ever been hit so badly as to be put out of production for a substantial time.

Finally, he is extremely encouraging about comparative British and German air strengths. He contends, first, that the Germans used all their airpower in the September attack.

Many of our experts doubt him, but have difficulty answering his question, "Why should the Germans have held back?" Second, he estimates present British airpower as nearly three times greater than four months ago, and without making exaggerated claims, feels confident the Germans have lost some of their former advantage in numbers.

MISSOURIANS Have To Be Shown Who Is Governor

Jefferson City, Mo., Jan. 22 (AP)—A Democratic Legislature's determination to keep a Republican out of the Governor's chair tied Missouri's State government in a quick and bewildering series of financial knots today.

There was money in the bank, but there was no cash for overdue old-age pensions.

Legislators worked without salaries and hundreds of State employees faced the same prospect.

The "mess" started ten days ago when the Legislature refused to seat Republican Forrest C. Donnell as Missouri's new Governor and empowered a Democratic-controlled committee to investigate his 3.51-vote margin over Lawrence McDonald, St. Louis Democrat.

Gov. Lloyd C. Stark—held in office beyond his allotted term by the fight—started his Democratic colleagues by vetoing the investigation plan as a "partisan set-up." He told committee members they could get no State money from him.

# The Once Over

By H. I. Phillips

## Our Own Gallup Poll

Question No. 1—How do you feel about America being the arsenal for all victims of aggressor nations?

Yes—46 per cent.  
No—4 per cent.

Not sure what the word arsenal means—32 per cent.

Wouldn't mind being an arsenal if it didn't interfere with weekend motor trip—8 per cent.

Question No. 2—What do you think of the all-aid-short-of-war idea?

Yes—42 per cent.  
It's okay with me if it's okay with you—12 per cent.

All right if the emphasis is put on the "short"—8 per cent.

Any man who calls what we are doing short of war is a bad judge of distance—30 per cent.

Question No. 3—Do you think the lag in our defense program is serious?

Yes and no—35 per cent.  
Undecided—4 per cent.

Think what America needs most is a lag in microphone—60 per cent.

Wouldn't know a lag if I saw one—1 per cent.

Question No. 4—Do you think America is menaced as never before in its history?

Who am I to argue with the President?—40 per cent.

Too frightened to answer after listening to the last two messages on the state of the Nation—33 per cent.

Are you willing to make any sacrifice?

Who? Me?—11 per cent.  
Wait till I ask the missus—12 per cent.

Yes, but I want to be sure all you fellows who are asking me that question in polls like this are not out playing golf—68 per cent.

Are you in favor of an all-out war?

No, too far out—25 per cent.  
I am for an "all out" war if it doesn't leave us "all in"—75 per cent.

What do you think of the situation in Bulgaria and Yugoslavia?

Yes—40 per cent.  
No—10 per cent.  
Undecided—30 per cent.

I tried to find out about it, but the wire was busy—20 per cent.

Mussolini is so quiet these days that you can hear a general dropped.

When the liner Manhattan went ashore off Palm Beach they say a couple of economic royalists looked out of their palaces in the morning, saw the stranded ship and exclaimed in unison: "Good heavens! Now we'll be blamed for that, too!"

Sonja Henle's husband has been called in the draft, but the soldiers would much rather see Sonja in camp.

Mr. Roosevelt is for most everything except power short of power.

It seems to us that America, having been stuck by everybody with the bill for the last war, wants to avoid embarrassment this time by picking up the check in advance.

Knox Asks Law To Curb Pictures Of Navy Property

Secretary Knox yesterday asked Congress to make it a crime to take unauthorized photographs of naval reservations, ships or equipment, declaring that the present law helps spies by calling attention to defense secrets.

In a letter to Speaker Rayburn, Knox said that existing statutes governing the making of photographs or sketches are inadequate to protect confidential defense data, in that the Government, in prosecuting such action, must either show an intent to injure the United States or show that the objects or areas photographed were labeled "secret."

"From a standpoint of security," he stated, "the Navy Department considers that the marking of naval installations and equipment as secret, confidential or restricted and vital to the national defense is highly objectionable in that it immediately calls attention to the particular items and thus defeats in a considerable degree the purpose intended to be accomplished."

The proposed bill sets a penalty of one year's imprisonment and \$4,000 fine for making any unauthorized photograph of any part of a naval station, commercial plant having naval contracts, warship or naval equipment, regardless of motive.

# Presidential Powers

By Mark Sullivan

## Apprehension Over Lease Bill

OPPOSITION to the "lease-lend" bill falls into two categories. There is some opposition—or querying, or wish to modify—about extending financial aid to Britain. There is some disposition to make sure Britain is no longer able to pay cash, some querying about distinction between ready cash possessed by Britain and so-called unliquid assets possessed by her, some insistence upon getting security from Britain, to the extent that she has security to give.

This sort of criticism of the bill, however, tends to diminish. A common feeling is that Britain is near enough to the end of her available resources to justify us in relieving her from paying cash. Even if she has cash and securities remaining, it is apparent she can use these in other ways for prosecution of the war—for the making of purchases, or otherwise using cash, in Africa, Asia, and other places where only cash can be used. For the prosecution of the war, especially in some areas, cash is as useful and indispensable to Britain as planes or ships. And it is felt that, since we have adopted a policy of helping Britain, it is as illogical for us to take cash away from her as to take planes or ships. That our Government will grant credit to Britain, without much cavilling as to the urgency of her need in this respect, seems certain.

THE OTHER objections to the bill have to do with the powers granted the President. These startled Congress. In preliminary discussions about the project, in the movement as it developed over several weeks, in the requests made on behalf of Britain—in all this, the assumption was that the measure when written would be granting credit to Britain. The assumption was that the measure would enable Britain to go on buying supplies in the United States as she has already been buying them, but relieving her of the necessity of paying cash. The picture practically everyone had in mind, of what would be brought about by the projected bill, was that Britain would continue as now to buy supplies from private manufacturers in the United States, and would pay for the supplies by credit or cash granted to her by the United States Government. Private manufacturers would continue, as now, to take orders from the British, would fill the orders and would be paid by the British, out of cash or credit made available to her by the proposed bill.

But when the bill actually emerged, it granted no cash or credit to Britain. It granted nothing to Britain directly. Britain is not named in the bill. Every grant made by the bill is a grant, not to Britain or to any other nation, but to the President of the United States.

"The President may, from time to time . . . manufacture in arsenals, factories and shipyards . . . or otherwise procure, any defense article for the government of any country whose defense the President deems vital to the defense of the United States."

AT ONCE arose the question, why do it this way, instead of by

merely granting credit to Britain and letting her go on as now doing her own buying from private manufacturers. To this, an answer is occasionally heard. It is that by the method adopted in the bill, the President will be able to allocate the output of supplies made in America—keeping for our own defense as much as he deems necessary, and letting other countries have what he deems we can spare.

But at once it is pointed out that the President already has this power and exercises it; he already decides, from time to time, how much of the airplanes (or other supplies) made in the United States, shall go to Britain, how much be retained for our own forces.

THE POWER granted the President in this bill creates a picture of enormous control over the country's industrial structure. The President will have his present control over the orders given to American manufacturers for supplies for our own Government. And now he will have, in addition, control over the supplies intended for foreign governments. The sum of these two categories is a large portion of all the business that will be done in America during the period ahead of us. There is in Congress frank apprehension about what might be done through this control by some around the President, who have an attitude hardly short of unfriendliness toward the element of private ownership and private management in industry.

Not mentioned in the bill, but necessarily inherent in it, is another great power conferred on the President. It is the leverage upon the conduct of the war, possessed by any individual who is head of the arsenal making supplies. The President of the United States directly ordering supplies, and then turning them over to Britain in his discretion is very different from the present practice, in which Britain herself orders such supplies as she wants from manufacturers. The proposed method would put upon the head of our Government a responsibility with respect to the conduct of the war which might be interpreted as a step toward participation.

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## Fortune Gallo Finds the Right Formula Early: San Carlo Opera Company Proves People Want Quality, Not Novelty

By Robert DeVore  
Post Staff Writer

The San Carlo trail was on E Street yesterday and a little man moved along it talking with his hands and his eyes, and making speech with his mouth.

The San Carlo trail is a route of gold and music, 620,000 miles long, and the little man built it. His name is Fortune Gallo which means in English, "Lucky Rooster."

For about an hour the little man stopped in the office of Eddie Plohn, manager of the National Theater, and in those somewhat restricted areas—the little man truly talks in the illustrative Italian manner—the conversation began.

Fortune Gallo's mind raced back, far back to the very beginning of the San Carlo trail. That would be Naples, 45 years ago when the man was a boy, 15. One in the office who had known Gallo for many years observed he never knew why the great impresario named his fabulous enterprise the San Carlo Opera Company. That's what started it!

"We were waiting for the boat to sail for America. There was an old Italian farmer with us. He was my guardian—not my real guardian, you know, but some one they had told—'You, Giovanni, you see this boy gets to America all right.' The man took me to the opera. It was Aida or Traviata, I can't remember now, but that opera house they were playing was called San Carlo."

"Years later when I started my opera company they ask me what you going to call it. I said San Carlo. They said nobody knows how to pronounce it. I said it makes no difference how you pronounce it—San Carlo, San Carlo—they'll remember it if they like it."



HIZI KOYKE, who plays Madame Butterfly, received flowers backstage

They liked it all right.

For 31 years now Fortune Gallo has confounded big-time opera managers, and irritated them a little, too, with an amazing success. Year in and year out, in good times and bad, Gallo has pushed the San Carlo trail back and forth across the continent, into Mexico and Cuba in the heat of summer and into Canada in the dead of winter. And only once did his books show a deficit—\$700 in his second season.

And in all those years opera companies were blooming and dying all over the country. Even the Metropolitan with its endowments, its sale of radio and refreshment concessions and its \$7.50 top, saw all its reserves vanish in the Hoover depression.

Gallo's top is \$2.75. And, as he says, "I have no subsidies, no angels yet every year I show a profit. This is the only coast-to-coast travelling theatrical company in the United States that pays its own way, that moves without guarantees, that lives only on the receipts as they come in at the box office."

The little man thrust his arm at the floor, pointing in the direction of the theater audience hearing "Martha" below.

"They are my board of directors," he said. "They are having a little meeting now. What they decide down there and what they tell their friends when they go home—those are the minutes of my board."

From hundreds of his "board meetings" in every section of the country he has culled the formula of his success. Quickly he calculated the years' accumulation of "directors"—"I should say 640,000 people have seen my companies," he said—then he gave the ingredients of his formula:

"Long ago I learned that the theory about people wanting a novelty is false. They want the old favorites—so that's what we give them—'Aida,' 'Traviata' and 'Il Trovatore' and some of the English and French operas. We used to give the great German operas, too, but we don't do that these days. We give them the best music and we make the price reasonable."

Like every Italian boy, Fortune Gallo learned music. He was trained to the piano and guitar.

"I couldn't bring the piano with me, so I brought the guitar. I lost that shooting creeps (craps). Me, I love to shoot creeps."

"I came over fifth class. It cost me about \$28 American money, but we were using gold money then. Now they have good food and nice beds for steerage passengers, but nothing like that 45 years ago. Just rope hammocks and they gave you tin plates and cups for your soup. You had to hang the plate and cup on a nail near your hammock."

"They put me way up front where the ship didn't only roll sideways (left-to-right gestures with hands) but hopped up and down like this (vertical flapping of both hands). Those tin cups made an awful noise and I knew we would go down. So I got out my Rosary and prayed for all I was worth."

Gallo lost not only his guitar in the craps game. He arrived in New York with 12 cents in his pocket. With one cent he bought a banana.

Then he went to work in an Italian bank in Manhattan at \$3 a week—"Good gold money in those days; with room, board and laundry it was equal to \$30 a week now, easy." Next he worked as a gas company collector, making even better wages. In 1901 he went to work as an agent for Ellery's military band.

Nine years later he was out in San Francisco with a band of his own when a friend asked him if he wanted to take over a South American opera company that had failed.

"I took them over, parrots, monkeys and all. That's where the San Carlo trail began to be seen."



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"... Years later when I started my opera company they asked me what you going to call it. I said San Carlo. They said nobody knows how to pronounce it ..."



"... I said it makes no difference how you pronounce it—San Carlo, San Carlo—they'll remember it if they like."

Many a big-league opera star has made a debut with San Carlo. Richard Bonelli, Queens Mario, Greco and Charlotte Symons are only a few who have moved to the Metropolitan from Gallo.

There have been times when the one-time Italian immigrant whose starting capital was 12 cents and a banana and who now owns two banks and a theater, had to take his talent from the top. It is with pardonable pride that he recalls paying Lucretia Bori and Martinelli \$3,000 each and Titia Ruffo \$4,000 for a special performance of "Pagliacci" in Havana. He grossed \$21,000 at \$15 a seat.

San Carlo has played in 80 cities in the United States and Canada, including Moose Jaw, Saskatchewan, and Gallo isn't likely to forget any of them, least of all a town in North Carolina.

"That's where they gave me the key to the city; then they sold me stock in the bank and \$17,000 worth of real estate. The bank went broke and I still have the real estate. Ho! Ho! Ho!"

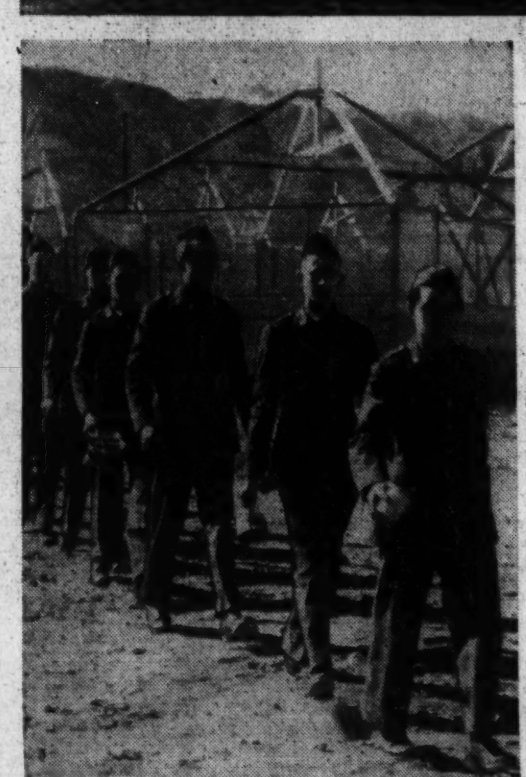
Gallo has an especial fondness for "Pagliacci." Years ago he brought the opera's composer, Ruggero Leoncavallo, to America for a performance of his own work. In 1930 San Carlo played "Pagliacci" in the first sound-movie reproduction of a complete opera.

The company played "Pagliacci" at the National last night. Tonight it plays "Rigoletto," tomorrow night, "Aida," Saturday afternoon, "Faust," and Saturday night "Il Trovatore."

At Sheephead Bay, N. Y., in 1918, Gallo staged his greatest single performance of opera. The company with the help of seven elephants and several camels, played "Aida" for a Red Cross benefit audience of 55,000. The gross was \$50,000.

"It was a perfect performance and perfect night. You have never seen anything like the scenery we used. The Nile scene was most wonderful. And right at the point where it should happen, the moon, yes, the real moon, came up right where it should be."

"Nobody seems to know where the moon came from."



MEMBERS OF BATTERY G OF THE 260TH MARCH TO NOONDAY MESS

## Wind Blasts Arrival Of 260th at Bliss

On a wind-swept stretch of Texas desert, at the foot of a range of rocky hills, the Second Battalion of the 260th Coast Artillery, of the District National Guard, is encamped.

The soldiers live in a group of "winterized" tents, whose walls are made of board and screen, protection against the driving sand that springs up with a strong wind.

The First Battalion, now en route with its big guns, is scheduled to arrive at Bliss and move into the tent camp next Wednesday.

Reports say the Washingtonians are fast becoming accustomed to the picturesque country, where it rains hard twice a year, on the average, and where, in the camp 4 miles from the Rio Grande, the temperature now ranges around 85 in the daytime.

The cantonment (shown above) where five other Guard and Regular Army anti-aircraft regiments also are encamped, is only a subdivision of a total 35,000 acres. On this acreage there are: the Army's largest cavalry post, a vast firing range for guns large and small, an observation squadron with its flying field and hangars, and a maze of other buildings ranging from a 2,000-man tent theater to "mechanized" field kitchens.



PRIVATE GABRIEL LUBAR, BATTERY H, CLOSES HIS EYES AGAINST WIND-DRIVEN SAND

## Justice McReynolds, Once Liberal, Is Last of 'Horse and Buggy' Bloc

By John B. Oakes  
Post Staff Writer

The retirement of Justice James Clark McReynolds from the Supreme Court a week from Saturday will, in a sense, mark the close of an era.

For when this granite-faced Kentuckian steps down from the bench for the last time, the Nation's high-rumvrate of Butler, McReynolds, est tribunal will have lost the last of its famous conservative quad-

Arch-enemy of the New Deal, Justice McReynolds has held out stubbornly against the ravages of time and the elections. But the "liberalization" of the court and the departure through death or resignation of his old-time colleagues has placed him in a minority which seems steadily to be shrinking.

Whether by accident or design, his departure from the court two weeks after the third Inauguration of President Roosevelt is symbolic of his bitter antagonism to the political and social philosophy of the present Administration.

But it was not always thus. There was a day, some 30 years ago, when James C. McReynolds was almost a "radical"—or at least a "trust buster" called into Federal service in 1903 to help the Government prosecute cases arising under the Sherman Act.

So well did he do his work that Woodrow Wilson named him Attorney General in 1913 under the banner of "the new freedom." McReynolds continued his attacks on the trusts, including monopolistic combinations in the fields of wire communications, railroads and tobacco.



HE RODE IN HORSE-DRAWN CARRIAGE in 1913 ...

For 18 months he carried on his warfare with big business, but when a vacancy occurred in the Supreme Court in 1914, he was elevated to the bench—or, as some observers put it, he was "kicked upstairs." He had not been popular in his Cabinet post for a variety of reasons—not least of which was his difficulty in getting along with some of his colleagues in the Federal service.

For nearly 27 years Justice McReynolds has remained on the bench, an austere, hard-bitten figure who terrorized lawyers and befriended children. Noted for his abruptness in the courtroom, he would sometimes shrivel attorneys with an acid question or sudden departure from the chamber while they were in the midst of argument.

And yet those who have observed him over the years testify to the warmth of heart beneath a frigid exterior. A bachelor, Justice McReynolds loses his natural reserve in the presence of children, for whom he has a genuine affection. And over the past quarter-century, he has earned not merely the liking, but the profound respect, of the permanent court employees.

In these 27 years, the court has undergone unprecedented changes in outlook—which, of course, have left a profound mark on the development of the Nation. During the period when he was one of the majority, Justice McReynolds gained no extraordinary prominence, but in these latter New Dealish days, he has entered the public eye because of the frequency, and, be it said, the consistency, of his dissents.

He has expressed his disagreement with the majority in no uncertain terms—most notably on the day in 1935 when the court held that the Government was not required to pay gold bonds in gold coin. "The Constitution is gone!" he exclaimed.

His attitude in the days of "trust-busting" no less than in the days of the New Deal has been guided by his deep-seated opposition to concentration of power, whether it be economic or political. As the uncompromising exponent of that view, Justice James Clark McReynolds will take his place in history.



McREYNOLDS as Attorney General (left) in 1913 and Supreme Court Justice (right)



... TODAY HE DRIVES HIS OWN CAR TO COURT



# Dress Rule for the Woman in Politics—Be Smart But Conservative



These Democratic leaders are exponents of the chic conservatism they advise for women in politics. At far left, Mrs. Charles S. Whitman wears luxurious mink for mid-season smartness. Her small mink hat enhances the perfection of her ensemble. Mrs. J. J. Nygaard, center, practices what she preaches. She wears a black straw hat trimmed with roses to liven her Russian ermine coat—so as to be just a little advanced in the season. Miss Gahagan, below, wears a simple black wool dress, sublimely cut and draped. She admitted, though, she would never wear her becomingly large brimmed felt hat while making a political speech.



## Women Leaders Advise Sleek Individuality

By Jane Driscoll  
The Post Fashion Editor

ATTENTION-getting devices in women's clothes—whimsical beaded hats, elaborate trappings and gargantuan gadgets—have their place at festive or for the soiree, but not in the political arena. Fussy turlowels or crazy hats do not appeal to the populace when a stump speech is in order.

Three smartly dressed Democratic leaders here this week emphasized that naturalness and conservatism, fitting to the occasion, were prime dress requisites for women in politics.

Those who voiced their opinions were Mrs. Charles S. Whitman, wife of the former Republican Governor of New York, and a delegate to the Chicago convention. Miss Helen Gahagan, wife of movie actor Melvyn Douglas, and national committee woman from California, and Mrs. J. J. Nygaard, national committee woman from North Dakota, who campaigned with her husband last fall when he sought a place in the United States Senate.

When women first entered politics, many of them tried to escape anonymity by being conspicuous in their dress. Some apparently thought the way to the hearts of men political leaders was by being ultra-feminine—wearing flowing veils and flowery chiffons.

**Simpler Clothes Worn**  
Subsequent events have shown that women in politics do not need to exercise feminine artifice in dress to appear smart. An easy conservatism seems to be the keynote of women who are successful at one night speaking stands and in garnering votes.

Mrs. Whitman's ideas on dress for women in politics fit into the

conservative scheme. She believes that women should dress soberly. "They should dress as they are accustomed to dressing, with special thought to their own personalities," she said. The public likes to see you dress naturally, as you always dress. It shows what kind of a person you are." Although Mrs. Whitman doesn't believe in dressing up for the men in politics, she does approve of femininity in clothes.

Mrs. Nygaard spoke as a wife who has dressed as a background for a husband in politics. She believes a woman should dress up for her husband's constituency—not startling things, but good clothes worn well. "Appear well-groomed and dress for the occasion," she said.

**Should Look the Part**  
"People like someone that looks the part," she continued. She explained that when a woman

## They Warn Against 'Crazy' Hats and Fussy Effects

dresses for the public, it gives them a feeling of confidence in her. She always dresses a little advanced for the season—she thinks it all helps.

Mrs. Douglas spoke as a woman who has a special knack for being well dressed. She likes extremely smart things but not "squeamish or one-sided fashions," she said. "Most hats," she continued, "were designed by men to make women look like idiots." She feels she would be defeating her purpose from the start if she wore an unusual hat when giving a speech before men. In the conservative vein, she likes "cover up" evening dresses.

In general all the women believed that femininity should be the rule. Look like a woman—they advise—and above all, the woman you are.

And a final injunction was added by a mere man voter who happened to overhear the conversation.

"Do you really think men pay attention to a woman candidate's finery?" he asked. Mrs. Whitman shyly admitted she doubted it. "It's the general effect we put our stamp of approval on," the man said.

## Giddy Hat Styles Always in Vogue

Hollywood, Calif.—That "women's hats have always been giddy" is a contention voiced by Rita Hayworth that should silence all members of the robust sex intolerant of modern feminine frumpiness.

As proof, Rita shows you a hat she wears in "The Strawberry Blonde," of the horse-and-buggy era. It's a wide-brimmed, semi-rough natural straw with a neat little bunch of carrots and radishes on the crown and swathed in three yards of petal pink veiling. Rita's most extreme hat for 1941, a black wool jersey and satin turban with long-stemmed tulips drawn through the front, pales in comparison.

## 'Fat' Girl Loses 82 Pounds; Man Reducer Gets Rid of 68

By Ida Jean Kain

THERE is no surer way of injecting fresh enthusiasm into a slumping program than by giving you a variety of shining examples to try to outshine. One of the best jobs of streamlining in 1940 was put over by a Sweet Sixteen who got tired of being called "Fats" and is now known as "Honey." But running her a close second is a 68-year-old gentleman who reduced and found romance with the charming widow across the street.

"Honey" writes:

"I was very discouraged with life until I read your column. I cut out each item, made a scrapbook and followed the menus. At the beginning of the year I weighed 222 pounds and now I weigh 140! I feel so grand now. Here are my measurements before and after: Bust from 44 inches to 38; waist from 39 inches to 25; hips from 49 inches to 36 inches; calf from 13½ inches to 12; ankle from 10 inches to 8 inches. I am 5 feet 7 inches tall. Do you think my weight and measurements are good for my height?"

As a matter of fact, I think this young lady could add 5 pounds to her new weight, for it is a safeguard in the teens to have a little marginal weight—but, of course, not 80 pounds extra! She has done a marvelous job of reducing on the protective diet. If I were planning a slimming menu especially for the teen age, I would allow from 1,400 to 1,500 calories daily and all of them in the protective foods. The growing girl must have daily: One quart of skim milk, plus one halibut oil capsule supplying 8,000 to 10,000 units of Vitamin A; one or two eggs; four slices whole wheat bread; three pats of butter, each one-fourth inch thick, and plenty of fresh fruits and vegetables and lean meat. This list totals approximately 1,500 calories.

The gentleman who found romance is a North Carolinian and he says:

"Your protective diet is youth itself. I know, for I have tried it for 12 months, with the result I have lost 68 pounds and have brought my weight down to the

## Colorful Wools In Spring Frocks

The spring fashion picture features more wool than in many past seasons. This is due to the fact that American wool manufacturers have given the dress industry a great variety of new weights, textures and surfaces which lend themselves to spring wear.

Even tweeds and flannels as well as jerseys have shed 50 per cent of their poundage, and with the advent of the slim silhouette, we find that fabrics are following suit.

It will be a season rich in color, varied in fabrics which range from chiffon-like textures and weights to nubby, chunky hand knits. Soft surface fabrics seem to be gaining steadily in strength. These include hairy woolsens and fleece types.

Oatmeals are very popular, and plaids range from bold plaids of the typical Glenurquhart types through pastel plaids to checks and overplaids. Dusty pastels are predominant in spring wool collections. Multicolor in tweed types, is noticeable. There are also many striped wool fabrics combined with plain of the predominant color of stripes.

## Mary Haworth's Mail



## Woman Questions Wisdom of Husband's Attitude In Promising 'Old-Fashioned Spanking' for Their Daughter, 15, if He Ever 'Catches Her With a Boy'

DEAR MARY HAWORTH: Your advice will be appreciated on a problem in our home which is the occasion of much dispute. We have a daughter, aged 15, who, like most girls that age, enjoys the company of boys as well as girls. Do you think a girl of 15 is too young to go to the movies, and occasionally to parties, with a boy friend?

I believe that, in this day and age, it is all right for her to do so; and, also, to bring her boy friends to her home. But my husband argues that a girl of 15 is too young to have beaux. He says he will give our daughter "an old-fashioned spanking" if he ever "catches her with a boy." What do you think of his attitude? B. E. S.

DEAR B. E. S.: Your husband's attitude is deplorable. It is lazy minded and selfish. It may also be tinged with unsuspected jealousy of his daughter's budding, romantic interest in the opposite sex. Rather than exert himself to provide his daughter with a healthy measure of self-developing freedom of action—rendered "safe" by constant, diplomatic, sympathetic parental supervision—he prefers to make parenthood "easy on himself" by keeping her in bondage, as it were.

At the age of 15, a girl whose social needs have been properly met up to that time, is on casually friendly terms with boys as well as girls. There is not, in her mind, any sharp or disturbing distinction between the sexes—of the kind which your husband's behavior and threats must now be introducing into his daughter's thoughts.

Lucky in her sentimental or courting relationships is the girl who has been accustomed since childhood to dealing impersonally with boys, as mere fellows brings—because to her it is as instinctive as breathing to stand up for her "rights," so-called, in any conflict of purpose between them. It is the teen-age girl who is rigorously set apart from boys by her parents, supposedly for her "protection," who is least able to cope with the complexities of adolescent, sentimental association with them. She is the girl most likely to lose her head in a crazy infatuation, nurtured behind her parents' back.

Your husband's promise of "an old-fashioned spanking" for his

daughter if ever he "catches her with a boy" is a boorish affront to her self-respect—which must be built up, rather than torn down, if she is to have the courage and wisdom to uphold the highest standards of personal behavior.

If her own father, the outstanding exemplar of masculine psychology in her scheme of things, "conditions" her to expect humiliating treatment from men, she will be at an everlasting disadvantage in all of her dealings with the opposite sex. She will not know how to exact decent consideration from them. Indeed, she will be rendered incapable of assuming that such is her due.

The attitude your husband should take, of course, toward his daughter's "boy friends" is one of kindly, but searchingly intelligent, man-to-man interest. He should welcome them warmly into his home, and send his daughter off with them, to the movies or to a party, with a casual but firm admonition to the boy to "look after Sarah, and have her back here by such-and-such an hour." When girl's beau sees the girl's father treating her with the highest respect and deepest affection and greatest concern for her happiness and safety—while granting her moderate social privileges—he feels singularly honored in sharing her company and proudly obligated to measure up to her "old man's" standard of behavior toward her. M. H.

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## New Uses Found For Sachets

Hollywood, Calif.—Somewhat like the glass jar full of sweet, dried herb granules used to keep on the parlor table is the similar one stuffed with dainty sachets that Ida Lupino keeps on her boudoir table.

Ida, who stars next in "The Sea Wolf," uses sachets in numerous new ways. She drops a packet of lavender or gardenia in her purse; one of pine or balsam in a pocket for "outdoorsy" aroma with her sports clothes; stows away her hair brushes with a sachet between the bristles for delicately perfumed hair, and tucks one inside her pillow case. Ida's over-night house guests particularly love this last little trick.

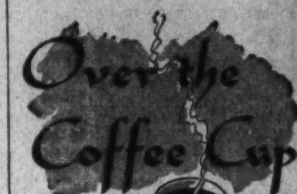
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## Florida Sunshine Lures Many Society Members

By Hope Ridings Miller

GETTING AWAY from it all—as many Washingtonians do every year about this time—are a number of Capitalites who are basking on the sunny shores of Florida. From time to time, I'll gather up a few social notes, straight from the South . . . and pass them on to you. This is one of those times.



Hope Ridings Miller

Countess Potocka, arriving a few days ago by the stratosphere Comet, from Lima, Peru, has joined Count Potocki at the Tower Hotel in Miami Beach. They plan to remain there until early next week, when they will be back in Washington. Just how long they'll stay here, nobody seems to know, but chances are, they'll be going on to New York after a few days.

Mrs. Frederick H. Bugher and her son, Frederick M., have taken a house in Miami Beach and expect to be there until May . . . Mr. and Mrs. Charles O. Chandler, who have been in Florida for several days, are now in Cuba for a short stay. Later, they will go to the quiet West Coast of Florida for a couple of weeks. They are expected back in Washington February 20. . . . Sojourning at the Ponce Hotel in Miami are Mr. and Mrs. W. Gwynn Gardner, who will go from there to Nassau. They will return home the middle of next month. . . . Still other Washingtonians vacationing in Florida are Dr. and Mrs. Charles D. Collins, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Joerissen and their daughter, Miss Kay Joerissen, Dr. and Mrs. Albert Evans and Mrs. William E. Shannon.

Dr. John Oliver La Gorce, who, with Mrs. La Gorce, is spending the remainder of the season in Miami Beach, is general chairman of the President's birthday ball there. The function, to be held at the Tatem Surf Club, is scheduled to draw many topflight members of Florida officialdom, including the Governor of Florida and Mrs. Spessard Holland, who have arranged to make a special trip down from Tallahassee to attend.

BACK IN WASHINGTON—The social whirl is still as speedy as ever, with official parties continuing to take over most of the calendar and small fetes filling in the gaps. One of the most pleasant get-togethers I have attended in a long time took place yesterday when Mrs. Jouett Shouse gathered in a handful of friends for luncheon in her Georgetown home. As is always the case with a highly congenial company, nobody wanted to leave, and nobody did, until somebody remembered another engagement and reminded all of us that it was high time we were on our way.

The hostess had attended hearings before the House Foreign Affairs Committee earlier in the day, and all the guests urged her to give a play-by-play account of what went on. Table-talk, in fact, took in a variety of subjects that ranged all the way from laudatory comments about the scrapple croquettes—served up piping hot with the cocktails—to discussion of foreign policy . . . over the coffee.

Mrs. James Hamilton Lewis was there; also, Mrs. Edward Finkenscheidt, who, it seems to me, should be noted as one of the "best dressed" on anybody's list. Incidentally, her smart black frock was set off with a natty beige sailor, worn straight atop her elegant coiffure. Also among those present were Mrs. Albert Warner, and Mrs. William P. MacCracken, whose own pre-inaugural party last Saturday afternoon wins my vote as being the gayest fete of the past week-end.

MORE PARTIES AND PEOPLE: Mrs. Joseph Leiter has cards out for a dance at the Sulgrave Club on Friday, February 21, in honor of her daughter, Nancy, and Thomas Clagett, who will be married the following day . . . Invitations also are out for the wedding reception, with a reply requested "so a card of admittance may be sent to you." The ceremony is set for high noon; the reception, for 1 o'clock. . . . Among the grade A dimmers given this week was the one at which Rear Admiral and Mrs. John H. Towers entertained on Tuesday evening. Guests included the Undersecretary of the Navy and Mrs. James V. Forrestal, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Lovett, Mr. and Mrs. William P. MacCracken, Mrs. Waggaman Pulver and Grover Loening of New York. . . . Assistant Attorney General and Mrs. Samuel O. Clark will entertain at a tea Sunday afternoon in honor of Judge and Mrs. Charles E. Clark, of New Haven, Conn. . . . Mrs. Frederick Sterling, who has been visiting her mother, Mrs. John R. Williams at the Anchorage, has returned to Boston for the remainder of the winter. . . . Senora de Espil will not receive tomorrow afternoon as she had planned. She is convalescing from influenza. . . . Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bohn will be at home in honor of Mr. and Mme. Alexander Kerensky following the former's lecture at Town Hall Sunday night.

## Wedding Bells to Ring for Her



Miss Merrylin Greenlee

whose engagement to Hewitt Crosby, jr., of Washington, is announced by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Pleas E. Greenlee, of Shelbyville, Ind. Miss Greenlee was graduated from Smith College and studied at the University of London, majoring in economics. She is now with the British Purchasing Commission here. Her father is a former member of the Bituminous Coal Commission. Mr. Crosby is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Hewitt Crosby, of this city and Port Jefferson, Long Island. He is a graduate of Purdue University in 1939 and is a civil engineer.

## Mrs. Morrow Fetes Baroness

Mrs. Frank James Morrow entertained a company at luncheon yesterday in the Louis Seize room of the Shoreham, in honor of the Baroness Bornemissa, who recently arrived in Washington from Europe.

Her guests were Mrs. Walter H. Tuckerman, Mrs. Wilbur J. Carr, Countess de Castellane, Lady Gainsborough, Lady Chalkley, Lady Leslie, Mrs. William G. McAdoo, Mrs. Gifford Pinchot, Mrs. Chester Wells and Mrs. Bisset Norment.

Party for Birthday Of Luxembourg's Duchess to Be Held

Strictly a stag affair will be the party this afternoon celebrating the birthday anniversary of Her Royal Highness the Grand Duchess of Luxembourg.

Host at the party will be the Minister of Luxembourg, Hugh Le Gallais, and it will be given in the legation at the Shoreham Hotel from 5 until 7 o'clock. In view of the occupation by Germany of Luxembourg, only a few Government officials and chiefs of the foreign missions here have been invited.

## About the Town

with Dudley Harmon

WRESTLING with Spanish or Portuguese has become a major indoor effort for Washingtonians now that there are so many South American visitors in town. Bad Beritz is heard on every side, but the person addressed usually is discovered to speak excellent English.

One visitor whose English is practically perfect is Ovidio de Abreu, Secretary of the Treasury for Minas Gerais, largest of the Brazilian states. The region boasts 9,000,000 inhabitants, famous diamonds and aquamarines, the deepest gold mine in the world and a huge deposit of iron ore. The capital, Belo Horizonte (Beautiful Horizon) is like Washington, one of the few cities which was planned completely before being laid out. Like our Capital, it has wide avenues radiating from circles, and is one of the most impressive of Brazilian cities.

Senor de Abreu has been amusing himself in Washington with the regular sightseer's schedule, including a tour through F. B. I.

headquarters. He also paid a visit to the Export-Import Bank, which recently loaned his country \$20,000,000 to help start a steel mill.

TO JUDGE by the crowd around Mr. and Mrs. Hal Wallis at a recent party, every other woman in Washington is a frustrated movie actress. Mr. Wallis heads production for Warner Brothers, and his wife is Louise Fazenda, the comedienne.

One thing I've learned in your city is how to juggle a tea cup," said Mr. Wallis the other afternoon, skillfully doing same. He and his wife are en route to New York to look over the new plays with the possibility of buying one or two for their studio. Mrs. Wallis has more or less given up her screen career, only acting when a particularly appealing part comes her way.

GOV. AND MRS. Leverett Saltonstall of Massachusetts took time off from a busy schedule to have tea at the Australian Legation with the Minister and Mrs. Casey. They met recently in Boston when the envoy spoke before the Chamber of Commerce there. Able Gov. Saltonstall is beginning his second term after an election so close there had to be a recount. He told a friend here the other day that until midnight of the day after election he was all packed and ready to go on a holiday. So far, he hasn't had it.

The descendant of one of the oldest Massachusetts families, Mr. Saltonstall indulges for recreation in woodchopping on his farm in Dover. He likes to put on his oldest clothes and work in the garden. The Saltonstalls have five children.

## Mrs. Caldwell Entertains At Breakfast

Following in the wake of Mrs. Roosevelt's "home party" last week, Mrs. Irene Caldwell entertained at a breakfast yesterday morning to start the ball rolling. Similar parties are being planned all over the country by women who wish to contribute to the National Foundation of Infantile Paralysis and are not able to attend the various balls given for this purpose.

Bright with spring flowers was Mrs. Caldwell's home yesterday. Yellow jonquils and purple iris centered the table, where breakfast was served, buffet fashion. Mrs. Caldwell is chairman of the women's ticket committee for the President's Birthday Ball on January 30.

Guests—all of whom plan some little party along this line—include Mrs. Woodrow Wilson, Mrs. Jesse Jones, Mrs. George Allen, Mrs. John Biggers, Mrs. Bruce Smith, Lady Lewis, Mrs. Charles Palmer, Mrs. Leon Henderson, Mrs. William Harrison, Mrs. Thurman Arnold, Mrs. Stephen Early, Mrs. Frank Hines and Mrs. Luther Johnson.

This is to be a Nation-wide drive. Mrs. Harold E. Stassen, wife of the Governor of Minnesota, plans a similar party at her home in St. Paul.

## Cabinet Dinner Tonight to Draw Record Attendance

The Cabinet dinner being given in honor of President and Mrs. Roosevelt this evening will have a larger attendance than any of those held previously. All former members of the President's Cabinet have been invited.

The dinner will be given in the Carlton Room, scene of the last two affairs. Topflight artists in the entertainment world have accepted invitations to perform. Lawrence Tibbett will sing.

## Mrs. Lewis Wood Gives Luncheon

Although the honor guest, Mrs. Keith Kane, could not be there because of illness, the luncheon Mrs. Lewis Wood had planned at the Chevy Chase Club went on yesterday just the same. Mrs. Kane and her husband recently moved to Washington from New York. She is the former Miss Amanda Bryan, daughter of the President of William and Mary College, Dr. John Stewart Bryan.

Covers at the luncheon were laid for 15. Guests were Mrs. Manville Kendrick, of Sheridan, Wyo., who is visiting her parents, Gen. and Mrs. Hugh S. Cumming; Mrs. Frank Wideman, Mrs. Gordon Dean, Mrs. Raymond Clapper, Mrs. Tom Stokes, Mrs. Irene Caldwell, Miss Lalla Harrison, Mrs. Charles Ross, Mrs. John Whelan, Mrs. J. Fred Essary, Mrs. James L. Wright, Mrs. Field Cheatham, Mrs. Raymond P. Brandt, and Mrs. Edwin Gableman.

## Notables Throng Parties Given By Mrs. Ickes, Mrs. Wickard

By Elizabeth Henney

Two Cabinet "at homes" drew scores of official hostesses yesterday to houses so widely separated that it required early starts and long drives for guests to attend both events between the hours of 4 and 6 o'clock. Mrs. Harold I. Ickes, wife of the Secretary of the Interior, received at their estate, Headwaters Farm, near Olney, Md., and Mrs. Claude Wickard, wife of the Secretary of Agriculture, was at home at their apartment at the Westchester.

For Mrs. Ickes it was an old story since she has been a Cabinet hostess for the past several years, but it was Mrs. Wickard's first experience at welcoming hundreds of social and official Washingtonians during the course of one afternoon.

Receiving in the drawing room of their spacious colonial home, Mrs. Ickes was gowning in a floor-length hostess frock of gray crepe, fashioned with long sleeves and a panel of Chinese red down the front. With it she wore a corsage of white camellias. In the receiving line with Mrs. Ickes was Mrs. Alvin J. Wirtz, wife of the Undersecretary of the Interior. Mrs. Wirtz had chosen for the occasion a chic black tailored frock accented with a collar of gold fringe.

Throughout the house were clusters of yellow jonquils, white freesias and pale tea roses, and in the dining room the table was centered with a low bowl of yellow roses. Assisting at the tea table during the afternoon were Mrs. Jesse Jones, wife of the Secretary of Commerce; Mrs. Frank Walker, wife of the Postmaster General; Mrs. Claude Pepper, wife of the Senator from Florida; Mrs. Robert Kintner, Mrs. E. Brooke Lee, Mrs. Oscar Chapman, Mrs. F. L. Thomas and Mrs. Francis Miller.

## Mrs. Ickes Entertains

350 Guests

More than 350 guests wound their way over the hills of Maryland, yesterday, to pay their respects to Mrs. Ickes, among them Mrs. Woodrow Wilson and Mrs. Henry L. Stimson, wife of the Secretary of War.

Guests who had hoped to get a glimpse of the Ickes' house guests, Melvin Douglas, of movie fame, and his wife, who is known on the stage as Helen Gahagan, were greatly disappointed. Business which had taken them into Washington earlier in the day, kept the couple there for the entire afternoon.

Noted among the guests during the afternoon were Mrs. Burnet F. Maybank, wife of the Governor of South Carolina; Mrs. George C. Marshall, wife of the Chief of Staff of the Army; Mme. Etegan, wife of the Turkish Ambassador; Mrs. Stanley K. Hornbeck, Lady Bradford Leslie, Col. and Mrs. Frank J. Morrow, Mrs. E. Barrett Prentiss, Mrs. M. Bianchi, wife of the Minister of Portugal; Mme. Potich, wife of the Yugoslavian Minister; Mrs. Harry Engelbright, Mrs. Thomas A. Wadden, Miss Pauletta Guffey, Mrs. O. Max Gardner, Mrs. Guy M. Gillette, Miss Mary Randolph, Mrs. Robert Brennan, wife of the Minister of Ireland; Mrs. Jacob Leander Loose, Mrs. Kwapiszewski, Mrs. James F. Byrnes, Mme. Naumoff, wife of the Bulgarian Minister; Mrs. Samuel Wilder King, Mme. Hurban, Mrs. Ralph O. Brewster, Mrs. Barney Nover, Mrs. James

Hamilton Lewis, Mrs. Raymond Clapper, Mrs. Daniel W. Bell, Mrs. Gilbert Hitchcock and hundreds more.

## Mrs. Wickard

Receives in Lounge

"I guess I'll have to stand on a pedestal soon if the crowd gets any larger," laughed Mrs. Claude Wickard, wife of the Secretary of Agriculture, as her "at home" was going into the final hour. One of the smartest-dressed Cabinet wives is Mrs. Wickard, who wears her gray hair neatly coiffed in an upswep manner. Yesterday she wore a marine blue crepe frock with a floor-length skirt. About the neckline and on the pockets gold and beaded embroidery glittered.

She received in the lounge of the Westchester where she and the Secretary have recently taken quarters. Not far from where the hostess stood was a table decked with bright red roses—and a welcome pitcher of ice water. At the other end of the room a long narrow table, brimming with sandwiches, cakes and cookies, was arranged with tea being served at one end and coffee at the other. A low mound of flowers, sweet peas and snapdragons centered the table.

"Please be kind to me," pleaded Mrs. Paul V. McNutt as she noted a reporter eyeing her truly amazing hat—a pagoda-like affair of black grograin and shiny straw. Completing the ensemble, the handsome wife of the Federal Security Administrator wore a simple black frock with tiny collar of white lace. In an attractive combination of powder blue and rust was Mrs. Vincent Miles. Pond lilies decked the hat of Mrs. George Crowley here from Chicago.

Mrs. J. R. Benney, wearing a bright red blouse with her dark suit, chatted with Mrs. Sherman Minton, Mrs. John W. Scott and Mrs. Louis Ludlow. Pink carnations topped the deep red toque worn by Mrs. Milo Perkins. Others there were Mrs. Rigely Chapline, Mrs. Ellen S. Woodward, Mrs. Julian Friant, Mrs. Thomas Harrington, Mrs. Vincent Harrington and Mrs. Stuart Eries. Former Representative Virginia Jenckes was being greeted on all sides. Mrs. Thurman Arnold, Mrs. Irene Caldwell, Mrs. William O. Frazer and many others were there.

Assisting Mrs. Wickard at the tea table were Mrs. Paul H. Appleby, Mrs. Grover B. Hill, Mrs. Milton S. Eisenhower, Mrs. Henry G. Knight, Mrs. Martin G. White, Mrs. Carl R. Robbins, Mrs. James T. Jardine, Mrs. Milo R. Perkins, Mrs. C. W. Kitchen and Mrs. Calvin B. Baldwin.

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## Robert Taylor 3d And Bride Spent Honeymoon in N.Y.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Love Taylor, 3d, are on their wedding trip in New York City and upon their return will live at 1945 Calvert Street.

The wedding of the former Miss Sue Crews, who is the granddaughter of Charles Durrell, Miss Lane Greer, of Sarasota, Fla., took place last Saturday at 4 p. m. in the Cleveland Park Community Church. Only members of the two families witnessed the ceremony, at which the Rev. Paul Yinger officiated. Mr. Taylor is the son of Mrs. Robert L. Taylor, Jr., and the late Mr. Taylor. His grandfather, the late Robert L. Taylor, was for many years Senator from Tennessee.

White flowers adorned the altar of the church. The bride wore a traveling suit of dusty rose wool and a corsage of orchids. Miss Loree Taylor, the bridegroom's sister, was maid of honor. Richard Schleicher was best man. A small reception followed at the home of the bridegroom.

## Friends to Honor Mrs. Henry Grady

Mrs. Henry F. Grady, who with her husband, the former Assistant Secretary of State, will leave shortly for California, will be given a testimonial luncheon on January 31 at the Mayflower by a group of her friends.

Among those who are working on the arrangements are Mrs. James Craig Peacock, Mrs. Samuel O. Herrick, Mrs. Barney Nover, Mrs. Francis Cabell Brown, Miss Helen Montford Moodie, Mrs. Charles Brand and Mrs. Harold E. Bowen.

## Miss Klein Wed To John E. Cope

Mr. and Mrs. Earl I. Klein, of Nebraska Avenue, announce the marriage of their daughter, Mildred Babette, to John Edward Cope, of Cumberland, Md., on Saturday, January 18, in Washington.

Mr. and Mrs. Cope will be at home February 1 in their apartment in N Street.



## Violet Oakley Murals Link Past to Present

By Jessie Ash Arndt

Working on the theory that "history must be related to the present or it is a closed book," Violet Oakley, distinguished mural artist, finds her famous paintings in the Pennsylvania State Capitol more significant now than when she did them.

Miss Oakley, who has been in Washington for the inauguration and to address the Washington Society of Fine Arts, did the monumental series of mural paintings in the Governor's reception room, the Senate chamber and Supreme Court room of the Pennsylvania Capitol.

The first of these, entitled "The State of Liberty Spiritual," is in the Governor's reception room and depicts the life of William Penn, with freedom of worship as its theme. "Why go back to the

she said because that term was used by him.

"The world has not yet caught up with William Penn," Miss Oakley declared, recalling that he went beyond a plan for the State, to envision one for world cooperation.

Interested in international law, Miss Oakley went to Geneva where she spent two and a half years and attended three assemblies of the League of Nations, making notes and small sketches. The collection of these drawings is in the Library of the League of Nations to which it was presented by a committee of donors. Reproductions were exhibited in Rome, four years ago, just prior to Italy's withdrawal from the League.

Miss Oakley is at present devoting herself to doing portraits and presenting lectures on subjects related to her work. While she was in Washington she called at the residence of the Apostolic Delegate on Massachusetts Avenue, to see a stained glass window which she designed some years ago for the library in the home of the late Robert Collier, on Park Avenue in New York. When the home was sold, his widow retained the window and later presented it for use in the new building here. It is "The Divine Comedy" of Dante and occupies a space on the stairway that had been planned for it.



VIOLET OAKLEY

struggle for religious freedom?" some one asked her when she was working on the murals in 1902.

"We should realize that religious freedom cost something," was her answer. "And today, we see that struggle repeated in many parts of the world. The fact that what was true then is true today justifies the record," she observed as she related the incident.

The next mural in the Capitol, which Miss Oakley was commissioned to paint was that in the Senate chamber. This she entitled "Creation and Preservation of the Union" and developed the place of the Keystone State in the Union. Like the first painting, this too has taken on added significance in the light of recent history.

The third mural in the series is "The Opening of the Book of the Law" in the Supreme Court Room.

Many months of study and preparation preceded the actual drawings for the murals, said Miss Oakley. The third in the series was completed in 1927. She has since published two large portfolios, "The Holy Experiment" and "Law Triumphant," including reproductions of the paintings. She used the title "The Holy Experiment" for those depicting the life of Penn and the founding of the State.



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## Auxiliary President Heads Defense Conference

Mrs. Louis J. Lemstra, of Clinton, Ind., national president of the American Legion Auxiliary, who will be chairman of the sixteenth Women's Patriotic Conference on National Defense, to be held at the Mayflower Hotel Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday of next week



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## P.E.O. to Mark Founders' Day

Nearly 200 reservations have been made for the Founders' Day celebration of the District of Columbia P. E. O. Sisterhood, to be held at the chapter house of the Daughters of the American Revolution, 1723 Massachusetts Avenue, Saturday evening.

Chapters A and B will be hostesses, with Miss Clara G. Miller, president of Chapter A, in charge of arrangements, and Mrs. Edgar B. Meritt, president of Chapter B, in charge of program.

The guest speaker of the evening will be Miss Marion S. Martin, assistant chairman of the Republican National Committee, and director of the women's division, who will have for her subject, "The Challenge to Women in 1941."

Musical for the occasion will be furnished by Granville Leaf, tenor, and Thomas Leaf, bass, soloists at Washington Cathedral, who will be heard in two groups of songs, accompanied at the piano by Miss Florence E. Reynolds, of Chapter H.

An original tribute to "Our Seven Founders," written for the occasion by Mrs. Inez Sheldon Tyler, former president of the D. C. Branch of the League of American Penwomen, will be given by Mrs. Tyler, with Mrs. Helen Turley, contralto, as soloist. Miss Marjorie Kohn will be accompanist for Mrs. Turley, and Mrs. Robert H. Young will assist in the candle-lighting ceremony.

Greetings from the P. E. O. Sisterhood will be given by Miss S. Elizabeth Reynolds, president of the District of Columbia Chapter, and the response for the E. L. L. S. of the husbands of the members of the sisterhood, will be given by D. N. Stafford.

## Mrs. Roosevelt To Head Receiving Line at Benefit

Mrs. Roosevelt will head the receiving line at the reception to be held following the fashion show to be given on Tuesday afternoon, February 11, in the new ballroom of the Shoreham Hotel, for the benefit of its Goodwill Industries.

This benefit is the one annual event of the kind staged by this charity. Committees are now being formed. The arrangements committee has Mrs. Irene Caldwell as general chairman. Other chairmen have been appointed as follows: "Mrs. William O. Douglas, patronesses; Mrs. William B. Snow, ushers; Mrs. Edward K. Shields, hostesses; Mrs. Willard Edwards, tickets; Mrs. Gertrude Lutz, door tickets; and Mrs. Chesley Manly, assistant chairman of publicity.

## Garretts to Attend Horse Show

Mr. and Mrs. George Garrett are among the boxholders for the President's Birthday horse show to be held at Fort Myer this evening and tomorrow evening.

Other boxholders include Mrs. Reeve Hoover, Harry H. Semmes, Ernest W. Greene, Senator Warren Barbour, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Woods Bliss, Thomas F. Morgan, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Godfrey, L. H. La Motte, Jr., Mrs. W. Wallace Chiswell, E. F. Selis, J. M. Elzalde, the delegate from the Philippines; Lieut. Col. W. C. Crane, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Wood Robert, Jr., Maj. Gen. Thomas Holcomb, Maj. and Mrs. W. A. Holbrook, Mrs. Christian Heinrich, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Morris, James H. R. Cromwell, Claude Owens and Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Davies.

## Beta Sigma Phi to Meet

Delta chapter, Beta Sigma Phi, will meet tonight at 8 o'clock at the Gill-Bert, 2400 Sixteenth Street Northwest. The subject will be "Grammar and Pronunciation" and a round-table discussion will be led by Mrs. Alice Roberts Koch, Miss Emma Woolen and Miss Alice Renk.

## Y.W.C.A. Luncheon Today

The Y. W. C. A. World Fellowship luncheon will be at 12:30 today at the Y. W. C. A. Seventeenth and K Streets. Miss Pearl Caruthers, of the World's Council of the Y. W. C. A., will be the guest speaker. She has chosen as her subject "Great Britain and Our World Association."

## STEINWAY DROOP'S 1300 G

## Madame Chairman

By Suzanne

NEXT THURSDAY morning, at 10:30, Mrs. Vincent Hilles Ober, of Norfolk, Va., now in her second term as president of the National Federation of Music Clubs, will address the Music Appreciation Group of the Women's Club of Chevy Chase.

Mrs. Ober, whose subject will be "Strengthening Foundations," is one of those well-rounded individuals who manage to keep home and a career on equal footing without sacrificing either to the interests of the other.

Devoted to the organization which has honored her by election to its presidency, she gives unstintingly to its service. Yet her travel schedules are so planned as to bring her back to Norfolk to spend all important holidays with her family, and severe illness on



MRS. VINCENT H. OBER

the part of one of its members will result in a brisk and competent rearrangement of her itinerary so that she can give close personal attention to the needs of the temporary invalid.

Her husband, a Norfolk physician, although not a musician himself, is greatly interested in music, and lends sympathetic support to her activities.

## Sorority Plans Photo Exhibit

The Washington Alumnae of Alpha Omicron Pi will hold an exhibition of original photographs by Margaret Bourke White (Mrs. Erskine Caldwell) on Sunday at the studio of Miss Lucile Wilkinson, 804 Seventeenth Street Northwest. It will be from 4 until 7 o'clock and delegates of the Washington Pan-Hellenic Association and the presidents of the Washington Alumnae Group will be guests at tea for this occasion.

Margaret Burke White is a graduate of Cornell University and was affiliated with Omicron Pi chapter of Alpha Omicron Pi sorority there. Her work in the field of photography and her numerous books have made her one of the sorority's most outstanding alumnae. Among her books are "Eyes on Russia, You Have Seen Their Faces" (with Erskine Caldwell), and "North of the Danube" (with Erskine Caldwell).

## Soroptimists Hear Numerologist

The Soroptimist Club was addressed yesterday by Mrs. Alma Stotestbury, numerologist, who entertained the members by charting their names and predicting success or failure according to the "vibrations."

The club will feature on its program next week, the Mile-O-Dimes project. Several of the members will broadcast, Wednesday at 4:30 p. m., at the Mile-O-Dimes station, Fourteenth and New York Avenue, as they make their contributions.

The principal speaker on the program will be E. W. Palmer, president of the National Society for Crippled Children. Mrs. Beulah Drake will be in charge of the program.

Mrs. Elinor Lee, of Station WJTV, will bring to the club one of the movie stars who will be in Washington in connection with the President's Birthday Ball.

## Women Patriots Open Defense Parley Monday

National defense, a subject to which the Women's Patriotic Conference on National Defense devoted itself years before the subject absorbed the country, will be discussed by nearly a score of prominent speakers at the sixteenth annual session of the conference Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday of next week, at the Mayflower Hotel. Mrs. Louis J. Lemstra, national president of the American Legion Auxiliary, will be this year's chairman.

Delegates from 24 women's patriotic organizations, with a combined membership of more than 1,000,000, will attend the conference, coming from every State, Alaska, Hawaii and the Panama Canal Zone. Registration is expected to approach 1,000.

Speakers at the opening mass meeting Monday night will be Milo J. Warner, national commander of the American Legion; Walter D. Fuller, president of the National Association of Manufacturers and president of the Curtis Publishing Co.; and Matthew Woll, vice president of the American Federation of Labor. The United States Army Band will give a patriotic concert during the meeting.

## Naval and FBI Experts Speak Tuesday

At the second session Tuesday morning the conference will hear addresses by Rear Admiral John W. Greenleaf, Navy Department; Carl E. Milliken, secretary of the Motion Picture Producers and Distributors of America; L. E. Pennington, inspector of the Federal Bureau of Investigation; Senator Lister Hill, of Alabama, and Representative Melvin J. Maas, of Minnesota.

Speakers at the third session, Tuesday afternoon, will be Allan Webb, boy governor of the Boys' State sponsored by the American Legion in Virginia last year; John W. Slacks, financial assistant to the chairman of the United States Maritime Commission; Niles Trammell, president of the National Broadcasting Co., and the Right Rev. James E. Freeman, Bishop of Washington.

The annual conference banquet will be held Tuesday night, opening with a concert by the United States Marine Band. The speakers will be William L. Lewis, British journalist, and Paul V. McNutt, Federal Security Administrator.

The final session Wednesday morning will be addressed by William C. Pfeiffer, Baltimore youth who won the Pershing Medal for the best action in civilian military training camps; Lieut. Col. Stuart Johnson, of Virginia Polytechnic Institute, and Rev. Edmund A. Walsh, vice president of Georgetown University.

## Conference to Express Attitude on U. S. Policy

Last act of the conference will be discussion and adoption of resolutions expressing the stand of the delegates on national defense questions. Mrs. William H. Biesler, of Philadelphia, past national president of the American Legion Auxiliary, will serve as chairman of the resolutions committee.

Following afternoon, January 27, before the opening of the conference, the delegates will make a pilgrimage to the Tomb of the Unknown Soldier, where a wreath will be placed by Mrs. Lemstra. Returning from Arlington, they will attend a reception at the Pan American Union.

Participating organizations will be American Gold Star Mothers, American Legion Auxiliary, American War Mothers, American Women's Legion of the World War, Auxiliary to Sons of Union Veterans, Daughters of the Loyal Legion, Daughters of the Defenders of the Republic, Daughters of the Union, Veterans, Guadalupe Club of 1848, Ladies Auxiliary to the Veterans of Foreign Wars, Ladies of the Grand Army of the Republic, National Auxiliary United Spanish War Veterans, National Ladies Auxiliary to the Jewish War Veterans, National Order of Three Crummers, National Patriotic Council, the National Society of Colonial Descendants of America, National Society Daughters of the Revolution.

## Alabama Group Dances Tomorrow

The Alabama Society will hold its annual Congressional reception and dance tomorrow in the Willard Hotel. Gov. and Mrs. Frank Dixon have prolonged their stay in Washington in order to attend the event.

The reception will begin promptly at 8:30 and the following delegation will receive all Alabama delegates: Gov. and Mrs. Frank Dixon, Justice and Mrs. Hugo Black, Commander and Mrs. Henry Crommelin (Gov. Dixon's naval aide), Col. Levi Foy (Gov. Dixon's military aide), Senator and Mrs. John H. Bankhead, Senator and Mrs. Lister Hill, Representative and Mrs. Frank W. Boykin, Representative and Mrs. George M. Grant, Representative and Mrs. Sam Hobbs, Representative and Mrs. Pete Jarman, Representative and Mrs. Luther Patrick, Representative and Mrs. John J. Sparkman, Representative and Mrs. Joe Starnes, Representative Henry B. Stegall, Representative and Mrs. Walter Will Bankhead, and Mrs. Robert S. Stiles, president of the Alabama Society.

Herman Ingram, at the Y. M. C. A., has charge of tickets and guest cards will be available at the door.

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### D. C. Flu Cases Rise; 8-Year Mark Set in U.S.

A record that has stood for eight years crashed yesterday when the Public Health Service revealed that 139,000 cases of influenza were reported throughout the country last week.

Previous high was the first week in January, 1933, when 90,102 new cases of flu were reported.

The total disclosed yesterday was nearly 30,000 above the previous week's. Raging flu epidemics along the South Atlantic seaboard accounted for most of the increase. Virginia jumped from 4,300 to 13,582 cases in a week. South Carolina from 2,465 to 11,004. North Carolina from 40 to 750 and Georgia from 5,002 to 10,702.

Fourteen new cases reported yesterday to the District Health Department brought the year's total to 410, far ahead of the same date in 1940 but still a relatively small number.

The total of 119,006 cases for last week represents reports from 44 States and the District. Pennsylvania, Massachusetts and Mississippi do not submit influenza figures, while New Hampshire's report had not been received yesterday.

### John O'Donnell's Funeral Rites Set for Today

Solemn high requiem mass for John B. O'Donnell, veteran attorney in Federal food and drug law enforcement work, will be held at 10 a. m. today at St. Matthew's Cathedral. Burial will be in Providence, R. I.

He died of a heart attack at his home, 2155 Florida Avenue Northwest.

Mr. O'Donnell was born in Providence and was educated at Brown University and New York Law School. He practiced law in New York before entering Government service in 1919.

For many years Mr. O'Donnell was an attorney in the Food and Drug Division of the Department of Agriculture. He was transferred to the office of the general counsel of the Federal Security Agency recently.

Surviving are his wife, Mrs. J. B. O'Donnell, of Washington; two sisters, Miss Theresa O'Donnell and Mrs. Margaret Doyle, and a brother, Joseph O'Donnell, all of Providence.

### Laubach Dies; Sister, Mrs. Jadwin, Lives Here

Easton, Pa., Jan. 22.—Charles Madison Laubach, 62, president and general manager of William Laubach & Sons, Easton's largest department store founded by his father, died today at his home here. He had been in ill health nearly a year.

Among the survivors in addition to his wife, Mrs. Sallie Leyrer Laubach, he is survived by a sister, Mrs. Jennie Jadwin, widow of Gen. Edgar Jadwin, U. S. A., Washington, D. C.

### Miss Watkins To Be Buried At Rock Creek

Funeral services for Miss Mary H. Watkins, associated with George Washington University for 36 years, will be held at 2 p. m. today at her home, 1429 Clifton Street Northwest, with burial in Rock Creek Cemetery.

Miss Watkins died Monday at her residence.

For many years Miss Watkins had been collaborating on a history of the university. She served for 36 years as secretary to Dr. William Allen Wilbur, former dean of the old Columbian College and later provost of the university.

She was a native of St. Clair, Pa., and came to Washington as a young girl. She was an active member of Foundry Methodist Church and the St. David's Society of Washington.

She leaves two sisters, Mrs. James E. and Miss Rhoda Watkins, both of Washington.

### Lynford Haynes Funeral Is Set For Tomorrow

Funeral services for Lynford James Haynes, former chief of publications in the Agriculture Department under Secretary Henry C. Wallace—father of Vice President Wallace—will be held tomorrow at 2 p. m. in Chambers Riverdale (M.D.) funeral home.

Mr. Haynes served in the department from 1910 to about 1925, when he resigned to conduct his own direct mail service business, Standard Business Service. He headed this concern until his death Tuesday at his home office, 427 Tenth Street Northwest.

A native of Erie, Pa., he was educated at Ames College and came to Washington in 1910 to enter Government service. His ashes will be sent to Erie to rest beside those of his wife.

Mr. Haynes leaves four daughters, Mrs. Gladys Collier, who was married only four days ago; Mrs. Eva Christensen, of 37 Thayer Street Northeast; Mrs. Betty Jackson, of 427 Tenth Street Northwest; and Mrs. Linda Fowler, of 473 E Street Southwest, and two sons, Lawrence L., of 403 D Street Northeast, and Wallace H. Haynes, of 427 Tenth Street Northwest.

### Mrs. Lola Houk Dies in Knoxville

Mrs. Lola Houk, 68, wife of William C. Houk, former assistant superintendent of the House Office Building, died yesterday at her home in Knoxville, Tenn.

She had lived in Washington from 1910 until April, 1940. Surviving, besides her husband, are a son, Raymond L. Houk; a brother, Lud Gibbs, both of Washington, and two sisters, Mrs. Elsie Green, of Washington, and Mrs. Bertie Nicholas, of Knoxville.

### Rites Tomorrow For Mrs. Amos In Baltimore

Special Dispatch to The Post

Baltimore, Jan. 22.—Funeral services for Mrs. Caroline Hope Amos, who died last night after a prolonged illness, will be held in the home at 3308 Gwynns Falls Parkway at 8:30 a. m. Friday, followed by a requiem mass at 9 a. m. at St. Cecilia's Catholic Church, Walbrook.

Burial will be in St. Mary's Cemetery, Pylesville, Harford County, Md.

Mrs. Amos was the mother of Mrs. Franklyn Waltman, of Washington. She is survived by five other daughters, Mrs. Eugene D. Milner, of New York; Mrs. Charles W. Maus, of Lexington, N. C.; Mrs. William H. Crowley, of Cambridge, Mass.; and Mrs. William Armour Jenkins, of Baltimore.

A sister, Mrs. Frank Wheeler, of Pylesville, Md., also survives.

A frequent visitor to Washington previous to her recent illness, Mrs. Amos was born in Harford County 73 years ago. Mrs. Amos was married to Calvin Amos, also of Harford County, who died in 1910.

### Young Wife Accused of Killing Man She 'Couldn't Have'

By the Associated Press

Boston, Jan. 22.—The bizarre story of a young wife, accused of slaying another woman's husband by administering sleeping tablets and then garroting him because she despaired of marrying him, was written into police records today.

Police Capt. John F. McCarthy said Mrs. Ruth Steadman, 26, estranged wife of a Pittsburgh, Pa., insurance man and mother of a 10-month-old child, had confessed taking the life of Robert Emery, 28, Natick real estate man and father of two children.

The officer added that police would apply in court today for a murder warrant against Mrs. Steadman, now under police guard in a hospital on a charge of suspicion of murder.

Two repairmen entering the attractive brunette's west end apartment late yesterday found Emery dead on the floor and Mrs. Steadman, unconscious from sleeping tablets, on a bed, McCarthy asserted.

He said she had written a note declaring "This is the only way out" and that she had told him: "I was in love with him (Emery). I couldn't have him and I couldn't go without him. So I decided to kill him and do away with myself."

McCarthy quoted Mrs. Steadman as saying she ground up 125 sleeping tablets and mixed them in milk without Emery's knowledge, and that both drank from the concoction.

She rented the apartment last fall after taking a \$100-a-month position at the Harvard Business School.

### Fire Does \$350 Damage To Westover Office

Ballston and Clarendon volunteer firemen responded last night to a fire inside the Westover Development office building, North Washington Boulevard near Longfellow Street. Arlington County Fire Chief A. C. Schaefer estimated the damage at \$350.

### C. O. Greenstreet, Building Engineer, Is Dead at 67

Charles Oliver Greenstreet, 67, a construction engineer in Washington for many years, died yesterday at his home, 4421 Georgia Avenue Northwest, after a long illness. Mr. Greenstreet was born in Essex County, Va., and came to Washington about 50 years ago. He was a member of Lafayette Masonic Lodge.

Surviving are his wife, Mrs. Mamie L. Greenstreet; two brothers, Temple and Benjamin Greenstreet, and three sisters, the Misses Emma, Judith and Eunice Greenstreet, all of Washington.

Funeral services are to begin at 2 p. m. Saturday at the Deal funeral home, 4812 Georgia Avenue Northwest, with burial in Fort Lincoln Cemetery.

### U. S. to Build Laboratory Here To Test Defense Materials

The Bureau of Standards yesterday announced plans for the construction of a \$800,000 laboratory for testing Government-purchased materials under the national defense program on a 12½-acre tract at Van Ness Street and Reno Road Northwest.

The acreage is the Pembroke Park estate—one of the most luxurious private estates in the District. Dr. Lyman J. Briggs, director of the Bureau of Standards, said the purchase of the estate has long been considered to meet the Bureau's expanding needs because of national defense work.

The proposed laboratory has been approved by the Budget Bureau and now awaits Congressional authorization.

The estate, which bounds the Bureau's grounds, was purchased from Mrs. Alfred P. Thom, widow of the counsel of the American Railway Association. It includes a 16-room gray stone house and several other buildings.

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## Federal Diary

By Jerry Klutznick

Representative Richard B. Wigglesworth, Massachusetts Republican who is a member of the House Appropriations Committee, is doing some detective work around Government departments. Main interest is publicity agents, Wigglesworth wants to know who they are and the salaries they receive. He also wants to know in detail about educational work done by the agencies and the cost of it all. A year ago the acting Comptroller General reported to Congress that some of the agencies were spending money for educational work without Congressional authority. Another group Wigglesworth is after is the personnel directors. He wants to know the cost of operating their offices for the last several years and the proposed cost for 1941.

Strange to relate, soy beans may become a vital national defense product. Officials at Agriculture's Bureau of Plant Industry say the Nazis are using soy beans as a sort of "nerve food." Nazis assigned to highly nervous work such as bombing England are fed generous helpings daily of soy beans. The beans are said to have a soothing effect on nerves. Soy beans are being used in this country to make plastic bodies for planes, among other things.

President Roosevelt's authority to reorganize Government departments expired yesterday. The President is certain to ask Congress to continue the authority, probably after the "lend-lease" bill is disposed of. He would like to have authority without limitation so he would have a free hand to move any agency. Meantime, the morale at the Forest Service should be bolstered. Agriculture officials privately admit that it is a "crime" for the agency to be without a chief—it has been for nearly a year—and he subjected to constant rumors that it will be transferred to Interior. Forest Service morale is reported at the lowest possible.

There are plenty of moving around at the Commerce Department Building. Fisheries is moving out. Part of the Census Bureau is being moved to the old City Club. Nelson Rockefeller and his bureau are moving in. Maritime Commission is being expanded to make room for additional employees. Also moving in is the Export Control administrator. Fred L. Chapman, FIA deputy administrator in charge of zone 3, has resigned. He has been succeeded by Warren J. Lockwood, who has been deputy administrator in charge of zone 5. Franklin D. Richards has replaced Lockwood in zone 5. James McCrory, who managed the campaign of Vice President Wallace, has refused an offer to become secretary to the V. P.

Judge Justin Miller of the District Court of Appeals is being boomed for the Supreme Court vacancy. He's a Californian and would give the Far West a seat on the court. Attorney General Robert Jackson undoubtedly could get the appointment if he wants it, but some of his close friends note he would prefer to wait until Chief Justice Hughes steps down.

Census is being flooded with requests from national defense agencies and industries, both public and private, for proofs of ages and citizenships of its employees and prospective employees. More than 65,000 requests are piled up and no funds are available for the work. Congress will be asked to make a supplemental appropriation for the work. The funds, of course, will be approved, which will mean longer jobs for several hundred temporary employees. An estimated 200 temporary employees will be laid off on February 1. C. I. O.'s U. F. W. A. claims Census is making discriminatory dismissal against Negroes. However, it is pointed out that Census has a higher proportion of Negro employees than any other Federal agency and that most of them are District residents.

Bureau of Foreign and Domestic Commerce is being reorganized to give "absolute priority" to national defense functions. Carroll Wilson is expected to be named director and several prominent economists will be added to the staff. No employees will be fired by the shakeup. The revamping takes the form of five new divisions.

Civil Service tests: Engineering draftsman, \$1,620 to \$2,000; Junior Communications Operator, \$1,620; Submarine Supplies Inspector, \$1,620 to \$2,600; Home Economist, salaries range from \$2,600 to \$4,600; Medical Guard Attendant, \$1,620; Physiotherapy Aide, \$1,620; Psychiatric Nurse, \$3,200, and Junior Veterinarian, \$2,000.

**Wish Was Father of Thought**  
There's been a murder in Washington, said an excited feminine voice over the telephone to The Post yesterday.  
"Where and when?" she was asked.  
"At a radio station—someone on the air just murdered 'Jeannie with the Light Brown Hair!'"  
Then she hung up.

## G. W. Student Wins Davis Speaking Prize, Proves Fascists Aren't Best Debaters



**SPEAKING OF THE WINNERS**—Here they are: John Doukas, first place; Carl Estes, runner-up, and Donald Brasted, third place. Only three girls to reach the finals in the public speaking contest at George Washington University were (top, left to right) Mary Ellen Degnan, Jessma Oslin and Patricia Coughenour.

## San Carlo Performances Score Success

Fortune Gallo presents the San Carlo Opera Company in "Pietra" and "Cavalleria Rusticana" and "Ruggero Leoncavallo's 'Pagliacci' at the National Theater Wednesday evening.

The cast of "Cavalleria Rusticana":  
Santuzza .... Mobley Lushanya  
Lola .... Charlotte Bruno  
Mamma Lucia .... Flora Shennan  
Turiddu .... Sydney Rayner  
Alfio .... Mario Yelle  
Conductor .... Carlo Perino  
Stage Director .... Louis Raybair  
The cast of "Pagliacci":  
Nedda .... Aroldo Lindi  
Turiddu .... Mostyn Thomas  
Beppe .... Francesco Curci  
Silvio .... Stefan Kozakevich

Two of the most popular Italian operas were brought to the stage of the National Theater last night to divide an audience between puzzle and the first and resounding praise of the latter.

What puzzled opera lovers about "Cavalleria Rusticana" were the principals' stumbling over cues that by this time should be familiar to them. In the light of their excellent rendition of the opera's songs, their bungling of mechanical details which forced Conductor Carlo Perino to shout their cues on a few occasions seemed unforgivable.

Yet tenor Sydney Rayner rallied the principals so quickly and the chorus was so well cued that the performance progressed smoothly to the moving "Intermezzo" at the finale when Turiddu is killed by Alfio who has married his sweetheart in his song before the church, the chorus was outstanding.

For "Pagliacci" the audience had nothing but praise and curtain calls. With his latest "Vesti la giubba"—"On with the play"—after he has discovered his wife's unfaithfulness, Aroldo Lindi as Canio stirred the audience to its greatest applause of the evening.

As Tonio, the clown, Mostyn Thomas was a good actor as well as a good singer. To the role of a buffoon he added an undercurrent of sadness when he was rejected by Canio's wife, Nedda, instead of playing the customary straight role of malice.

Stefan Kozakevich as Silvio and Francesco Curci as Beppe added their performances to make the presentation of the opera one of the most satisfying that has gone on the boards in Washington.

## Green Guards Part Company From Capital Enterprises

Green Guards of America, Inc., yesterday officially parted company from Capital Enterprises, the promotion firm whose contract to raise money for the Guards brought on a law suit.

Justice T. Alan Goldsborough, of the District Court, approved a judgment agreed on by both the promoters and the Guards which settled the controversy in this manner:

1. The contract granting the promoters exclusive rights to raise the Guards' money and keep 65 per cent of the profits was canceled, as asked first by the promoters and later by the Guards.

## John Doukas Outspeaks 10 College Mates, Refutes First Lady

John Doukas knows Mrs. Eleanor Roosevelt is wrong, and he proved it last night to an audience of 200 in George Washington University's Hall of Government.

Mrs. Roosevelt told a conference of educators Tuesday that American youth of democratic faith are usually defeated in fair debate with young Communists and Fascists because they aren't "quick enough and sure enough of their own convictions."

John Doukas knows Mrs. Roosevelt is wrong because he has a deep faith in democracy, and last night he won the annual Harry C. Davis prize in public speaking. He outspoke 10 college mates, none of whom were Communists or Fascists. No Communists or Fascists were voted wise enough to reach the finals.

**Tests of Father's Struggles**  
"That ought to prove who the best debaters are," Doukas said afterward.

A slender youth of 19 with earnest eyes, Doukas lives at 701 Taylor Street Northwest with his father, a Greek immigrant, whose struggles in this country were the topic of Doukas' prize-winning address.

"We can best, the anti-democrats in fair debate," the youth said, "because we express our own convictions, arrived at after free study. We don't get a script. We don't repeat principles in a parrot-like manner. We're not just robots. We democrats express our own ideas, and they are unbeatable."

But the G. W. student agreed with Mrs. Roosevelt that the more trained in public speaking for American youth, the better. Carl Estes, 22, of Arlington, Va., the second prize winner, and Donald Brasted, 20, of Alexandria, Va., who won third prize, also agreed here.

**Jessma Oslin Speaks**  
Eighteen-year-old Jessma Oslin, one of the other finalists, said she was sure that Communist or Fascist youth best democratic competitors only because "they have their meals served to them by their parents."

"This proves that the democratic faith must be revitalized," said Miss Oslin, who lives at 2205 S Street Southeast.

Two other girls were finalists, Mary Ellen Degnan, 21, of 1815 Allison Street Northwest, and Patricia Coughenour, 18, of 2004 G Street Northwest. The judges were Lieut. Col. Ralph C. Smith, U. S. Army; President James A. Bell, of Southern University, and Audley L. Smith, professor of English at G. W. U.

## How to Head Symphony's Fund Drive

Walter Bruce Howe, Washington attorney, yesterday was named chairman of the National Symphony Orchestra's eleventh annual Sustaining Fund Campaign by the L. Corrin Strong, president of the orchestra.



**WALTER BRUCE HOWE**

tr's board of directors. The drive for \$107,000 to maintain the National Symphony through 1941-1942 will open on February 3, and will continue through February 13.

Howe has been intimately connected with the affairs of the National Symphony since its foundation in 1931. He served as the first president of the orchestra association's board of directors through 1931-1932, and following that, was the board's secretary for eight years.

Since October, 1939, he has been vice president of the orchestra board, a post he still holds. Although he headed the sustaining fund drive's Government committee two years ago, this will be the first time that he has acted as general chairman for the campaign.

Born in New York City, Howe received his bachelor's degree from Yale and his law degree from Harvard University. He was assistant district attorney under William Jerome in his native city, and later filled the same post under Clarence Wilson here. He is a member of the Metropolitan and Alibi Clubs in Washington, and of the Racquet and Tennis Club in New York.

For several years he has been a member of the board of directors of Garfield Hospital. His wife is the composer, Mary Howe, many of whose compositions have been played by the National Symphony and various others of the major symphony orchestras.

## Driverless Auto Goes Joyriding In Hyattsville

As though discontented with its parking place on Spencer Street in Hyattsville, Md., a driverless automobile backed down the hill yesterday, turned into Maryland Avenue and parked itself anew against the bumper of another car.

When the owner, Bernard L. Smith, of Leonardtown, Md., emerged from the barber shop, he found his automobile unharmed. The car was able to turn the corner without benefit of driver; an honorary jury of onlookers decided, because the wheels were turned when the brakes apparently slipped.

(5) The countersuit for \$10,000 filed by Mrs. Nowell and the Guards against the promoters was dismissed.

(6) Mrs. Nowell in two days must give the promoters 480 unsold sheets of seals and \$11.50 for seals sold.

(7) Richard A. Harman, attorney for the promoters, dropped his effort to have Mrs. Nowell held in contempt of court for trying to act as lawyer for the Guards.

Partners in the promotion firm are Joseph W. Sherman, 910 E Street, and Julius Maggd, 2100 N Street Northwest.

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## D. C. Balks On Hangar For Guards

**\$50,000 to Sponsor Quarters for 121st Squadron Unlikely To Be Forthcoming**

A District Commissioner who refused to let his name be used indicated last night that the Commissioners would decline to supply \$50,000 as a sponsorship fund for construction of a hangar to be used by the 121st Observation Squadron, District of Columbia National Guard.

Allotment of this sum has been asked by Brig. Gen. Albert L. Cox, commanding general of the Guard.

The squadron was allocated to the District last July. Gen. Cox pointed out that the law places on the District the responsibility for providing squadron facilities. Last August the Commissioners refused to provide \$50,000 for a hangar and other facilities, on the ground no funds were available.

**Beltville Field Provided**

Since then, the War Department and the Department of Agriculture have provided an air field at the Beltville (Md.) research center, and funds have been provided from various sources until only a \$50,000 sponsorship fund required by the WPA is needed now, this sum to pay skilled labor.

With a personnel of 32 officers and 130 enlisted men, the annual payroll of the 121st would be \$85,000. Gen. Cox pointed out in his letter.

The Commissioner said he knew of no source from which the District could provide \$50,000, and intimated that he would not favor any such allotment anyway, since in the view of the Commissioners, if the Army wants an observation squadron here it will provide the necessary facilities regardless of the District's participation.

**D. C. Favored Over States**

His reasoning followed the line that since the Army had assigned one of eight new National Guard air squadrons to the District, over the requests of 33 States, the Army wants a squadron here so badly that it will see that the air field is completed.

## Capital News In Brief

Hospitals and doctors last night were asked to be on the lookout for a colored man believed to have been wounded in a holdup attempt at a Seventh Street restaurant early yesterday.

Kostas Vassili, Greek manager of the eating place at 1219 Seventh Street Northwest, fired two shots at two colored men when they entered the place to surrender his money. He told police that he thought he shot one man in a leg.

Vassili was alone when the two bandits entered. While one with a gun remained at the door, the other demanded money. Vassili, unwilling of the armed man, reached under the counter for his gun and began shooting. Both robbers fled, empty-handed.

## Rain Today—Maybe Snow for Tomorrow

That big snow Washington has been expecting may be around the corner, and again it may not. The Weather Bureau yesterday predicted snow—or rain—for Friday.

As for today, will be cloudy and colder, with rain in the morning. Yesterday's temperature varied between 30 and 53.

## U. S. Is Far Short of Model Employer, Green Tells Government Employees' Federation



**NEW OFFICERS INSTALLED**—Two of the new officers of the Department of Labor Lodge, American Federation of Government Employees, installed last night are Charles O. Roshon, jr. (left), president, and Alice E. Dryer, secretary. They received congratulations from Philip B. Fleming, administrator, Wage and Hour Division, and William Green (right), president of the American Federation of Labor.

William Green, president of the American Federation of Labor, declared last night that "the Government of the United States falls far short of being the model employer it should be."

Speaking to the American Federation of Government Employees Labor Department lodge, the labor leader stated that in "too many classifications" pay scales are lower than in private industry. He charged that "unfair discriminations and unwise personnel policies still exist," and urged Government workers to join the A. F. G. E. "to remedy wrongs and correct injustices."

Green's address, which was carried over the air by WINX, followed the installation of the lodge's new officers at the Hotel 2400 Sixteenth Street Northwest. The officers were installed by James B. Burns, national president of the A. F. G. E.

The new officers are Charles O. Roshon, president; Alice E. Dryer, secretary, and George Morrison, treasurer. Vice presidents include Gail T. Judd, Alfred Acee, Sophronia M. Elmer, Mary Turner, George E. Chapman, Jr., and Duane M. Walters.

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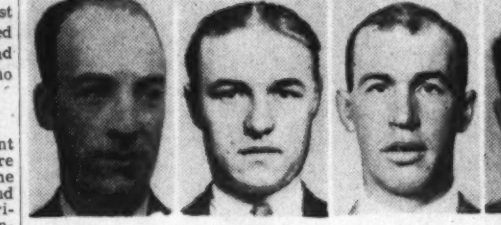
## 12 Police, Fire Heroes Win Awards for Conduct



COX SULLIVAN BURNS CLARK



LOWREY SCOTT MUELLER WALTERS



BARRY DISNEY CLAIR EDWARDS

Twelve men of the District police and fire departments whose acts of heroism last year were an inspiration to the Capital forces, were cited yesterday for the 1940 awards for merit by the Commissioners.

In each instance great personal risk was involved. Without regard for their own safety the heroes of the fire department dashed into blazing structures, swam across a turbulent stream or rescued a boy who had been clinging to ice in the middle of the Chesapeake & Ohio Canal.

The police faced death from the hands of bandits, fearlessly approached armed gunmen and engaged in pistol duels to capture lawbreakers.

Selected by the committee of award for meritorious service were the following:

**Fire Department**—Private James M. Cox, No. 29 Engine Company, gold medal; Private James N. Lowrey, No. 5 Engine Company, silver medal; Private George A. Clark, No. 4 Truck Company, bronze bar; honorable mention was given to Private Ernest J. Mueller, No. 4 Truck Company; Private James F. Walters, Jr., No. 4 Truck Company, and Sgt. John R. Barry, No. 10 Engine Company.

**Police Department**—Private Thomas C. Sullivan, No. 1 Precinct, son of Capt. Jeremiah Sullivan, gold medal; Private Charles A. Scott, Traffic Division, silver medal; Private Charles Burns, No. 2 Precinct, bronze bar; honorable mention to Private Clifton W. Disney, No. 7 Precinct; Private Lloyd L. Clair, No. 12 Precinct, and Private Clifton G. Edwards, No. 2 Precinct.

Private Cox and his company were called to the 3300 block of Canal Road Northwest on January 15, 1940, to find a young boy clinging to the ice in the center of the canal, nearly exhausted. The water at this point was 18 feet deep and the boy had been hanging on for nearly a half-hour. Cox obtained a rope and ran out onto the ice.

He broke through the ice, but tied the rope around the boy, who was pulled to safety.

Private Lowrey swam across the stream at Rock Creek and the G. O. Canal to rescue a woman marooned on top of a one-story house boat, with water splashing at her feet. Flood conditions prevailed

and the canal was full of debris. Private Clark scaled his ladder to carry a 2-year-old colored child to safety from a blazing house.

Pvt. Sullivan and by Pvt. T. D. Bacon were stationed at Second and G Streets Northwest early one morning awaiting the return of two men who were sought by police. Soon a car drove up and two men moved to get out of it. Sullivan ran toward them but as he did one of the men whipped out a gun and pointed it at Sullivan. A slight struggle ensued and Sullivan took the gun from the man.

Pvt. Scott, while patrolling his beat saw a colored man being chased by two young white boys on Clifton Street Northwest between Thirtieth and Fourteenth Streets. He took up the chase which led him into alleys, over fences and finally in the basement of a house in the 1000 block of Girard Street Northwest. The fugitive then ran to the third floor of the house and hid under a bed. Scott drew his revolver and approached the bed urging the man to come out. He pulled the man's leg whereupon the colored man grabbed the policeman's revolver with one hand and reached for his own with the other hand. A struggle followed with Scott emerging the winner.

Private Burns, winner of the police bronze bar, captured two colored men which resulted in the solution of 26 separate cases of robbery, seven cases of assault with a dangerous weapon, one case of assault with intent to kill, and one case of unauthorized use of motor vehicle together with the clearing up of the holdup and murder of Herman Sinks, liquor dealer, on February 26, 1940. Burns' capture of the men led him on a chase from a house in the 1500 block of Sixth Street North to New Jersey Avenue and P Streets Northwest where with the assistance of two colored men one of the culprits was unarmed and arrested. The other man was arrested at the Sixth Street house.

The awards will be presented to the heroes at the March 20 meeting of the Washington Board of Trade to be held in the Mayflower Hotel at 8 p. m. The committee, which made the selection includes Robert V. Fleming, chairman; Luther H. Reichelderfer, Henry C. Stein, Maj. Ernest W. Brown and Fire Chief Stephen T. Porter.

## Lubar Heads Cross-Town Bus Unit

**North Washington Citizens Organize Steering Committee For Campaign**

A steering organization to direct citizens associations' fight for cross-town bus service was formed last night at a meeting of representatives from all sections of North Washington.

Called by the Mid-City Citizens Association, the delegates named Nathan M. Lubar their permanent chairman and planned a future meeting for committee reports on proposed routes before the Public Utilities Commission bus hearing February 11.

Concerted backing for one of two proposed routes across Rock Creek Park was planned, with the other route available as an alternative.

Both cross-town routes begin in the vicinity of Connecticut and Nebraska Avenues Northwest, the northern one following Military Road across the park to the North-east section, the other going west on Reno Road, Park Road and Michigan Avenue to Monroe Street Northwest.

Appointed to investigate the bridges and roads of the alternative routes were Mrs. Olive Faircloth, of the Cathedral Heights-Cleveland Park association, and Thomas V. Regan, president of the Conduit Road citizens.

James A. Crooks, of North Capitol, and Lubar, of Mid-City, were named to examine previous hearings and overcome objections previously raised to the bus line. Lubar also was elected to study relative populations along the two routes suggested.

Backing by the city's 22 businessmen's associations was assured by Louis I. Obergh, representing the Federation of Businessmen's Associations. The Federation will meet tonight in the Continental Hotel to discuss the cross-town routes further, he reported.

Support of the Federation of Citizens Associations for the bus plan was reported by Delegate Crooks, although no agreement has been reached on the route to be backed.

## 16th St. Heights

The Sixteenth Street Heights Citizens Association last night mapped a plan of attack for its February 4 hearing before the Public Utilities Commission on the improvement of bus service.

Meeting at the Shepherd School, the association lined up its arguments for express service to its neighborhood as well as a general stepping-up in the frequency of buses during the day.

## Set of Rare Books Given to President

One of the most elaborately bound and printed sets of books ever made—the Grolier Society's exposition edition of its "Book of the Year"—was presented to President Roosevelt as an inauguration gift yesterday by the inaugural gift committee, composed of close friends, many in his official family.

The 20-volume set, valued by rare book experts at a minimum of \$5,000, will go to the President's Hyde Park Library, where it will eventually be loaned to the Nation. It was published in 1926 for display at the Philadelphia Sesquiennial Exposition, where it won first award.

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# Bryson's Clyde Tolson Wins a Hialeah Race in Blanket Finish

## Five of 7 Hialeah Race Charts Horses Are Heads Apart

Unerring Is Second, Sundogger Third In Sprint Race; The Chief Is Fourth

Hialeah Park, Fla., Jan. 22.—E. K. Bryson's Clyde Tolson emerged victorious in the blanket finish of the Grade "A" Handicap that headed the card here today. Five of the seven starters in the 5 1/2-furlong test reached the wire heads apart. Behind the victor, in the order named, came Woolf Farm's Unerring, Mrs. M. C. Green's Sundogger, Maxwell Howard's The Chief and Henry Friedberg's Montain. Royal Man and Carlisle, the other two starters, were beaten by open daylight.

The Chief, making his second appearance of the winter, again finished just out of the picture after being heavily backed, but he gave the impression that he is ready to win, especially with a little more distance. The gelding is known to be the type that will beat any horse when he takes it into his head to do so.

Clyde Tolson, paying \$11.40 for \$2, made the smart time of 1:16.3-5. All in the field except Sundogger are eligible for the \$50,000 Widener.

Carlisle showed the way to Clyde Tolson in the early stages, but he couldn't get clear and finally collapsed as the Bryson 4-year-old gained a narrow advantage around the bend. The forward-running mare Unerring went after the pace-maker. They staged a bitter battle all the way home. Sundogger, The Chief and Montain joined in the drive to thrill the good-sized crowd. The Grade "B" Handicap, like the Grade "A" event, was a tribute to Handicapper Charles McLennan's weight assignments. Volitant, the Saratoga Stable's unreliable gelding, carried top weight of 119 pounds to a head victory, while Mrs. Payne Whitney's Red Dog, the choice, and Joseph Pepp's No. 1, finished in a dead heat for second money.

## Hialeah Entries, Marvel Ratings

**FIRST RACE—Hialeah (chute), purse, \$1,200; maidens; 2-year-olds; colts and geldings.**

| No. | Horse        | Jockey   | Wt. | Col. | Age | Sex | Trainer |
|-----|--------------|----------|-----|------|-----|-----|---------|
| 1   | Unerring     | (Robert) | 118 | 12-1 | ... | ... | ...     |
| 2   | Chief        | (Robert) | 118 | 12-1 | ... | ... | ...     |
| 3   | Montain      | (Robert) | 118 | 12-1 | ... | ... | ...     |
| 4   | Red Dog      | (Robert) | 118 | 12-1 | ... | ... | ...     |
| 5   | Volitant     | (Robert) | 118 | 12-1 | ... | ... | ...     |
| 6   | Carlisle     | (Robert) | 118 | 12-1 | ... | ... | ...     |
| 7   | Clyde Tolson | (Robert) | 118 | 12-1 | ... | ... | ...     |

**SECOND RACE—Hialeah (chute), purse, \$1,200; maidens; 2-year-olds; colts and geldings.**

| No. | Horse        | Jockey   | Wt. | Col. | Age | Sex | Trainer |
|-----|--------------|----------|-----|------|-----|-----|---------|
| 1   | Unerring     | (Robert) | 118 | 12-1 | ... | ... | ...     |
| 2   | Chief        | (Robert) | 118 | 12-1 | ... | ... | ...     |
| 3   | Montain      | (Robert) | 118 | 12-1 | ... | ... | ...     |
| 4   | Red Dog      | (Robert) | 118 | 12-1 | ... | ... | ...     |
| 5   | Volitant     | (Robert) | 118 | 12-1 | ... | ... | ...     |
| 6   | Carlisle     | (Robert) | 118 | 12-1 | ... | ... | ...     |
| 7   | Clyde Tolson | (Robert) | 118 | 12-1 | ... | ... | ...     |

**THIRD RACE—Hialeah (chute), purse, \$1,200; maidens; 2-year-olds; colts and geldings.**

| No. | Horse        | Jockey   | Wt. | Col. | Age | Sex | Trainer |
|-----|--------------|----------|-----|------|-----|-----|---------|
| 1   | Unerring     | (Robert) | 118 | 12-1 | ... | ... | ...     |
| 2   | Chief        | (Robert) | 118 | 12-1 | ... | ... | ...     |
| 3   | Montain      | (Robert) | 118 | 12-1 | ... | ... | ...     |
| 4   | Red Dog      | (Robert) | 118 | 12-1 | ... | ... | ...     |
| 5   | Volitant     | (Robert) | 118 | 12-1 | ... | ... | ...     |
| 6   | Carlisle     | (Robert) | 118 | 12-1 | ... | ... | ...     |
| 7   | Clyde Tolson | (Robert) | 118 | 12-1 | ... | ... | ...     |

**FOURTH RACE—Hialeah (chute), purse, \$1,200; maidens; 2-year-olds; colts and geldings.**

| No. | Horse        | Jockey   | Wt. | Col. | Age | Sex | Trainer |
|-----|--------------|----------|-----|------|-----|-----|---------|
| 1   | Unerring     | (Robert) | 118 | 12-1 | ... | ... | ...     |
| 2   | Chief        | (Robert) | 118 | 12-1 | ... | ... | ...     |
| 3   | Montain      | (Robert) | 118 | 12-1 | ... | ... | ...     |
| 4   | Red Dog      | (Robert) | 118 | 12-1 | ... | ... | ...     |
| 5   | Volitant     | (Robert) | 118 | 12-1 | ... | ... | ...     |
| 6   | Carlisle     | (Robert) | 118 | 12-1 | ... | ... | ...     |
| 7   | Clyde Tolson | (Robert) | 118 | 12-1 | ... | ... | ...     |

**FIFTH RACE—Hialeah (chute), purse, \$1,200; maidens; 2-year-olds; colts and geldings.**

| No. | Horse        | Jockey   | Wt. | Col. | Age | Sex | Trainer |
|-----|--------------|----------|-----|------|-----|-----|---------|
| 1   | Unerring     | (Robert) | 118 | 12-1 | ... | ... | ...     |
| 2   | Chief        | (Robert) | 118 | 12-1 | ... | ... | ...     |
| 3   | Montain      | (Robert) | 118 | 12-1 | ... | ... | ...     |
| 4   | Red Dog      | (Robert) | 118 | 12-1 | ... | ... | ...     |
| 5   | Volitant     | (Robert) | 118 | 12-1 | ... | ... | ...     |
| 6   | Carlisle     | (Robert) | 118 | 12-1 | ... | ... | ...     |
| 7   | Clyde Tolson | (Robert) | 118 | 12-1 | ... | ... | ...     |

**SIXTH RACE—Hialeah (chute), purse, \$1,200; maidens; 2-year-olds; colts and geldings.**

| No. | Horse        | Jockey   | Wt. | Col. | Age | Sex | Trainer |
|-----|--------------|----------|-----|------|-----|-----|---------|
| 1   | Unerring     | (Robert) | 118 | 12-1 | ... | ... | ...     |
| 2   | Chief        | (Robert) | 118 | 12-1 | ... | ... | ...     |
| 3   | Montain      | (Robert) | 118 | 12-1 | ... | ... | ...     |
| 4   | Red Dog      | (Robert) | 118 | 12-1 | ... | ... | ...     |
| 5   | Volitant     | (Robert) | 118 | 12-1 | ... | ... | ...     |
| 6   | Carlisle     | (Robert) | 118 | 12-1 | ... | ... | ...     |
| 7   | Clyde Tolson | (Robert) | 118 | 12-1 | ... | ... | ...     |

**SEVENTH RACE—Hialeah (chute), purse, \$1,200; maidens; 2-year-olds; colts and geldings.**

| No. | Horse        | Jockey   | Wt. | Col. | Age | Sex | Trainer |
|-----|--------------|----------|-----|------|-----|-----|---------|
| 1   | Unerring     | (Robert) | 118 | 12-1 | ... | ... | ...     |
| 2   | Chief        | (Robert) | 118 | 12-1 | ... | ... | ...     |
| 3   | Montain      | (Robert) | 118 | 12-1 | ... | ... | ...     |
| 4   | Red Dog      | (Robert) | 118 | 12-1 | ... | ... | ...     |
| 5   | Volitant     | (Robert) | 118 | 12-1 | ... | ... | ...     |
| 6   | Carlisle     | (Robert) | 118 | 12-1 | ... | ... | ...     |
| 7   | Clyde Tolson | (Robert) | 118 | 12-1 | ... | ... | ...     |

**EIGHTH RACE—Hialeah (chute), purse, \$1,200; maidens; 2-year-olds; colts and geldings.**

| No. | Horse        | Jockey   | Wt. | Col. | Age | Sex | Trainer |
|-----|--------------|----------|-----|------|-----|-----|---------|
| 1   | Unerring     | (Robert) | 118 | 12-1 | ... | ... | ...     |
| 2   | Chief        | (Robert) | 118 | 12-1 | ... | ... | ...     |
| 3   | Montain      | (Robert) | 118 | 12-1 | ... | ... | ...     |
| 4   | Red Dog      | (Robert) | 118 | 12-1 | ... | ... | ...     |
| 5   | Volitant     | (Robert) | 118 | 12-1 | ... | ... | ...     |
| 6   | Carlisle     | (Robert) | 118 | 12-1 | ... | ... | ...     |
| 7   | Clyde Tolson | (Robert) | 118 | 12-1 | ... | ... | ...     |

**NINTH RACE—Hialeah (chute), purse, \$1,200; maidens; 2-year-olds; colts and geldings.**

| No. | Horse        | Jockey   | Wt. | Col. | Age | Sex | Trainer |
|-----|--------------|----------|-----|------|-----|-----|---------|
| 1   | Unerring     | (Robert) | 118 | 12-1 | ... | ... | ...     |
| 2   | Chief        | (Robert) | 118 | 12-1 | ... | ... | ...     |
| 3   | Montain      | (Robert) | 118 | 12-1 | ... | ... | ...     |
| 4   | Red Dog      | (Robert) | 118 | 12-1 | ... | ... | ...     |
| 5   | Volitant     | (Robert) | 118 | 12-1 | ... | ... | ...     |
| 6   | Carlisle     | (Robert) | 118 | 12-1 | ... | ... | ...     |
| 7   | Clyde Tolson | (Robert) | 118 | 12-1 | ... | ... | ...     |

**TENTH RACE—Hialeah (chute), purse, \$1,200; maidens; 2-year-olds; colts and geldings.**

| No. | Horse        | Jockey   | Wt. | Col. | Age | Sex | Trainer |
|-----|--------------|----------|-----|------|-----|-----|---------|
| 1   | Unerring     | (Robert) | 118 | 12-1 | ... | ... | ...     |
| 2   | Chief        | (Robert) | 118 | 12-1 | ... | ... | ...     |
| 3   | Montain      | (Robert) | 118 | 12-1 | ... | ... | ...     |
| 4   | Red Dog      | (Robert) | 118 | 12-1 | ... | ... | ...     |
| 5   | Volitant     | (Robert) | 118 | 12-1 | ... | ... | ...     |
| 6   | Carlisle     | (Robert) | 118 | 12-1 | ... | ... | ...     |
| 7   | Clyde Tolson | (Robert) | 118 | 12-1 | ... | ... | ...     |

**ELEVENTH RACE—Hialeah (chute), purse, \$1,200; maidens; 2-year-olds; colts and geldings.**

| No. | Horse        | Jockey   | Wt. | Col. | Age | Sex | Trainer |
|-----|--------------|----------|-----|------|-----|-----|---------|
| 1   | Unerring     | (Robert) | 118 | 12-1 | ... | ... | ...     |
| 2   | Chief        | (Robert) | 118 | 12-1 | ... | ... | ...     |
| 3   | Montain      | (Robert) | 118 | 12-1 | ... | ... | ...     |
| 4   | Red Dog      | (Robert) | 118 | 12-1 | ... | ... | ...     |
| 5   | Volitant     | (Robert) | 118 | 12-1 | ... | ... | ...     |
| 6   | Carlisle     | (Robert) | 118 | 12-1 | ... | ... | ...     |
| 7   | Clyde Tolson | (Robert) | 118 | 12-1 | ... | ... | ...     |

**Twelfth RACE—Hialeah (chute), purse, \$1,200; maidens; 2-year-olds; colts and geldings.**

| No. | Horse        | Jockey   | Wt. | Col. | Age | Sex | Trainer |
|-----|--------------|----------|-----|------|-----|-----|---------|
| 1   | Unerring     | (Robert) | 118 | 12-1 | ... | ... | ...     |
| 2   | Chief        | (Robert) | 118 | 12-1 | ... | ... | ...     |
| 3   | Montain      | (Robert) | 118 | 12-1 | ... | ... | ...     |
| 4   | Red Dog      | (Robert) | 118 | 12-1 | ... | ... | ...     |
| 5   | Volitant     | (Robert) | 118 | 12-1 | ... | ... | ...     |
| 6   | Carlisle     | (Robert) | 118 | 12-1 | ... | ... | ...     |
| 7   | Clyde Tolson | (Robert) | 118 | 12-1 | ... | ... | ...     |

## Bennings

At The Post

Selections at Hialeah Park.

Dear Al:

The Circle M Ranch's Get Off

has been assigned top weight of

128 pounds by Racing Secretary

Charles J. McLennan in Saturday's

renewal of the \$5,000 added

Miami Beach Handicap. Thirty-

four horses were nominated for

the mile and one-sixteenth stake,

which will be run over the popu-

lar turf course. John Hay Whit-

ney's Heather Broom rates next

in the estimation of the handi-

capper, and his impost will be

123 pounds. Others held in high

regard are P. B. Codd's Gino Rex

with 120; Woolf Farm's Joe

Schenck, 117; Mrs. T. Christo-

pher's Doubt Not, 116; Fried-

berg's Montain, 115, and Le Mar

Stock Farm's Many Stings, Lex-

brook Stable's Potranco and River

Divide Farm's High Fidelity, 115.

Many Stings finished second to

Sandy Boot last season. The race

proved an excellent conditioner,

for many Stings went on to win

the \$10,000 added McLennan Me-

morial and the \$50,000 added

Widener. Sixteen of the Miami

Beach nominees remain eligible

for the Widener on closing day.

Although the Miami Beach was

first run in 1929, it was held on

the main course prior to 1929.

That year, the Maemere Farm's

Maeriel scooted home a winner in

1:46.5 over the grass. In 1940,

J. B. Partridge's Sandy Boot

scored in 1:45.1, only 1 1/2 sec-

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## 2 Banks Here Report Drop In 1940 Nets

Two Washington banks yesterday reported their earnings for 1940. Both showed declines as compared with the previous year.

Net profit of the American Security & Trust Co., Washington, totaled \$444,105 in the 12 months ended December 31, 1940, according to the annual report of President Corcoran Thomas.

This compared with net income of \$371,629 in the previous year. The decrease reflected less profits taken on the sale of capital assets, Mr. Thomas reported. Such net profits in 1940 totaled \$43,473, against \$172,527 in the previous year.

The fifty-first year... closed with the bank showing continued growth, Mr. Thomas reported. Our assets totaled \$68,761,335, an increase of \$4,517,411 while our deposits on December 31, 1940, reached \$59,474,314, the highest published total in the history of the company and an increase of \$4,348,914 compared with the end of the year 1939.

Net profit of The City Bank was \$111,831, during 1940, equivalent to \$4.47 a share on capital stock. President C. F. Burton pointed out that before deductions for estimated income and excess profits taxes, the net income was \$144,831 or \$5.79 a share.

Reviewing the year's operation, Mr. Burton said: "Measured by increase of deposits, The City Bank had an unusual growth during 1940. The deposits increased from \$10,114,912 to \$13,086,592 or about 30 per cent. Unfortunately, the opportunities for investment are meager and at the end of the year we found ourselves with \$13,000,000 more in cash on hand than the amount with which we started the year."

He added that directors this year would declare a dividend of 75 cents a share payable about March 5. Last year the dividend was \$1.00 on February. Reason for dividend delay, he said, is that "we can receive certain benefits from the Federal Reserve Act by delaying the payment of dividend more than 60 days after the beginning of the year."

**J. A. Reilly to Talk**

"The Bankers' Duty in Our Nation's Hour of Trial" will be discussed by John A. Reilly at a dinner meeting tonight of the District of Columbia Bankers Association. Mr. Reilly is president of the Second National Bank and second vice president of the District of Columbia Bankers Association. Miss Eve Ricker, of the Riggs National Bank, chairman of the section, will preside at the meeting, which will be held in the New Colonial Hotel.

**Druggists' Group Elects**

Directors of the Washington Wholesale Drug Exchange have elected Dr. David L. Maxwell as first vice president, to succeed the late Dr. William B. Herbert. Dr. Maxwell is associated with Maxwell & Tennyson, pharmacists. Dr. E. Flavell Koss, of the Koss Pharmacy, was elected to fill the directorship formerly held by Dr. Maxwell.

**Will Attend Parley**

Washington officials of the B. F. Goodrich Co., headed by District Manager F. R. Campbell, will attend a special regional conference to be held in New York. Washington staff members who will attend include J. M. Duncan, R. C. Voils, H. E. Steinmiller, E. A. Holsten, R. H. Giles, G. W. Clark, A. D. Riblett and C. M. Barnhart.

**Local Agent Honored**

E. R. Hough, Washington representative of the Lincoln National Life Insurance Co., won membership in the Minute Men Club for his sales record during the four-month period from August 15 to December 15.

**Record Sales Year Seen**

Roderic Peters, Washington, regional sales manager for Servel Inc., yesterday reported that sales of Electrolux refrigerators so far indicate the best sales year in the company's history. Mr. Peters has returned after attending a mid-winter sales conference at Evansville, Ind.

**Advertising Jumps 4 Per Cent**

Advertising placed by retailers in the newspapers of 82 major cities for the entire 1940 totaled \$1,210,000, according to a tabulation by Advertising Age. This is 600,000 lines greater than the corresponding week of 1940. For that week total was 16,548,372 lines, the 1941 figure showing an increase of 4 per cent.

**Something in This Name!**

With the recent election of Charles E. Wilson as president of General Motors Corporation, there are now three men with this name holding down key jobs in large American industries. The others, Charles E. Wilson, president of General Electric Co., and Charles E. Wilson, vice president of Worthington Pump & Machinery Corporation.

**Santa Is Foiled**

Less than one-third of the money saved by individuals during 1940 under Christmas Club plans operated by banks was actually used for Christmas purchases, a report by Christmas Club, Inc., shows. Most of the \$385,000,000 saved by 7,500,000 club members went into permanent savings, payment of bills, taxes, insurance premiums, educational, travel and charity contributions.

**New Director Named**

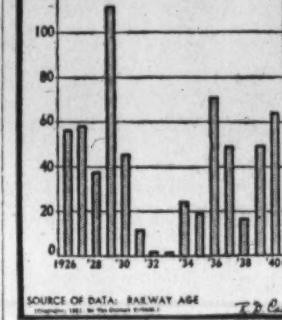
Martin E. Brown, assistant treasurer, has been elected to the directorate of International Finance Corporation, it was announced yesterday. He fills the place left by retirement of Charles C. Bradley. All other directors and officers of the Washington firm were re-elected. Mr. E. H. Harper, Jr., is president.

**Baltimore Securities**

Baltimore, Jan. 22 (AP)—Following are the sales, high, low and closing prices of stocks and bonds traded today on the Baltimore Stock Exchange:

## Railroad Freight Car Orders Last Year Were Greatest Since 1936

Orders for new freight cars



SOURCE: DATA REPLYING

## Retail Sales Of Autos Gain 26% in Year

By the Associated Press

Detroit, Jan. 22.—The Automobile Manufacturers Association reported today that retail sales of passenger cars and trucks in the United States during the calendar year 1940 totaled 4,094,343 units. This compared with sales of 3,244,278 units during the preceding 12 months, or a 26 per cent increase.

The 1940 totals were 3,461,791 passenger cars, an increase of 27 per cent, and 632,552 commercial vehicles, a gain of 21.5 per cent over 1939.

Highest single month's sales volume was 411,277 cars and trucks delivered in April. This was a gain of 32 per cent over the same month of the preceding year.

Passenger cars sales in December, 1940, totaled 317,379 and truck sales numbered 60,728, increase of 15.7 and 46.7 per cent, respectively, over the corresponding month of 1939.

## Pa. Producers Seek to Legalize 'Bootleg' Mining

By the Associated Press

Scranton, Pa., Jan. 22 (AP)—The Scranton Times said today that anthracite producers have approved a plan which, in effect, would legalize so-called "bootleg" coal mining in eastern Pennsylvania.

For more than a decade miners without regular jobs have mined and marketed coal from makeshift shafts on property owned by the large coal companies. Repeated efforts to stop the practice have been unsuccessful.

The Times said the producers, meeting in New York yesterday, voted to continue a voluntary tonnage allocation plan and adopted an amendment concerning the bootleg operations.

## Chicago Grain

Chicago, Jan. 22 (AP)—Prices of deferred wheat contracts on which it will be delivered in July or September continued to rise today, reaching the lowest level in about 70 days.

July and September wheat, which is expected to be 80, respectively, as much as 1/2 to 1 cent at times and closed 1/2 to 1/4 cent higher. May wheat contracts which must be settled on some basis credited to mills. However, independently strong move of the season and closed 1/2 to 1/4 cent higher. However, independently strong move of the season and closed 1/2 to 1/4 cent higher.

Depository factors on deferred deliveries included rains over the Midwest, improving prospects for a bumper crop, and a larger than expected estimate of the new crop. The latter factor was the main reason for the decline in prices.

Traders said the new and proposed farm program changes are likely to bring about a sharp drop in prices.

Wheat—Open. High. Low. Close. Jan. 22... 63 1/2... 63 1/2... 63 1/2... 63 1/2

May... 63 1/2... 63 1/2... 63 1/2... 63 1/2

September... 63 1/2... 63 1/2... 63 1/2... 63 1/2

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May... 63 1/2... 63 1/2... 63 1/2... 63 1/2

June... 63 1/2... 63 1/2... 63 1/2... 63 1/2

## Republic Steel Net Doubles, Sets Record

By the Associated Press

Republic Steel Corporation yesterday reported an all-time record net profit of \$21,113,507 for 1940. The figure was twice that of the previous record of \$10,871,343 in 1939.

Booming fourth-quarter operations averaging 95 per cent of capacity gave the Nation's third largest steel company \$8,480,174 net profit in that period alone. This compared with \$6,762,892 the final quarter of 1939 and \$5,819,000, or \$6.13 per share, in the third quarter of 1940.

Rate of earnings in 1940 was \$3.30 on each of 5,678,628 common shares against \$1.42 in the preceding year. Republic said its 1940 operations averaged 78 per cent, and had climbed past the 95 per cent average in the fourth quarter to 99 per cent of theoretical capacity at present.

The corporation said that before figuring 1940 net income it had allowed for \$8,000,000 for estimated Federal income taxes, as against \$2,450,000 in 1939.

**Liggett & Myers Tobacco Co.**

Liggett & Myers Tobacco Co. reported net profit for 1940 of \$20,339,241 after charges and Federal taxes, equal to \$6.02 a share on combined common and preferred stock, compared with \$20,703,549, or \$6.13 on the combined shares, in 1939. Approximately 3,317,000 shares of the two issues are outstanding.

Federal income taxes totaled \$6,503,404 and excess profits tax \$293,372 in 1940. Income tax in 1939 was \$3,988,697.

Dividends in 1940 increased to \$246,265.83 from \$232,892.61, a gain of \$13,373.24.

**Procter & Gamble Co.**

Procter & Gamble Co. reported consolidated net earnings of \$5,000,035 for the quarter ended December 31. The figure did not include earnings of subsidiaries in England and Canada, which the company noted, as they may have been made available in this country in United States funds. The earnings, equal to 76 cents per common share, compared with \$7.634,487 or \$1.17 per share for the corresponding quarter of 1939.

**Hecker Products Corporation**

Hecker Products Corporation reported consolidated profits for the quarter ended December 31 of \$285,118, after foreign exchange losses, equal to 19 cents a share, compared with \$415,375, or 66 cents a share, in the comparable 1939 quarter.

**Reading Railroad**

The Reading Railroad reported a net operating income of \$13,460,806 for the 12 months ending December 31, 1940, an increase of \$1,329,802 over the corresponding period of 1939. The company also reported a net income of \$1,567,492 for December, 1940, an increase of \$456,561 over the same month of the previous year.

**C. & O. Railway**

Chesapeake & Ohio Railway today reported 1940 net income of \$32,452,209, or \$4.60 a share, compared with \$24,790,000, or \$3.40 a share, in 1939. The record year was 1936, with \$43,790,000. The December net was \$2,737,690, up \$418,342 from December, 1939. Revenues for 1940 were \$132,720,171, an increase of \$13,968,117 from 1939.

## N. Y. Bank Stocks

New York, Jan. 22 (AP)—(Nat. Assn. Securities Dealers, Inc.)

**Bank & Trust**

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## The Day in Wall Street

Upturn in Rail Issues Leads to Mild Rally; N. Y. Central, Southern Pacific in Forefront

By Frederick Gardner

New York, Jan. 22.—Buying in rails dominated the security markets today and set the example for a mild rally in stocks. Topping the list of the day's most actively traded shares were Santa Fe, Southern Pacific and New York Central. Gains of fractions to more than a point were common in the group.

Corporate bonds, carriers also had the spotlight. Long neglected, rail securities recently began to draw notice from speculators and investors on the assumption they would be better than most groups under wartime taxes.

In addition, the rail champions pointed out, loadings are at the highest level in a decade, while operating costs for some time have been fairly stable. Such roads as Santa Fe and Southern Pacific were singled out for attention on reports a shipping shortage might result in diversion of traffic from coastwise steamers to transcontinental systems.

Santa Fe extended previous gains a point, closing at 13 1/2. Atlantic Coast Line was up 1/2 to 15 1/2. Southern Pacific rose 1/4 to 10 1/4.

United States Steel recovered 1/4 to 66 1/2, many traders, impressed by the action of the rails, climbed aboard for a general rally. Most prominent shares finished fractions to a point higher, including Bethlehem, duPont, Phelps Dodge, Texas Corporation, Chrysler, Consolidated Edison, Westinghouse and American Telephone.

The Associated Press composite price of 60 stocks advanced 3/4 at 43.7, the first upturn after nine straight declines, or unchanged figure. Transactions amounted to 3,870,790 shares, against 577,990 the previous day.

Having given up the greater part of the December and early January gains, many traders, judged by many factors in position to judge at least a technical swingback. Business reports of capacity operations in many factories, continued heavy buying in steel and prospects of

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## Odd Lot Dealer Assails Ban on Multiple Trade

By the Associated Press

George N. Proctor, Boston securities dealer, testified yesterday at a Securities Commission hearing that he would not want to continue in business if the New York Stock Exchange enforced its rule against multiple trading, which the SEC has asked be rescinded.

Proctor said the rule would require him either to drop odd lot trading franchises in 21 securities or to drop the seat on the New York Exchange which he bought in 1917, seven years after joining the Boston Stock Exchange.

**Needs Odd Lot Trade**

"Without the profits of the odd lot business," he said in response to a question by Gerhard A. Gesell, SEC counsel, "I do not know whether I would continue in business or not."

"Without my New York membership I could not continue in business; at least I wouldn't want to, because my commission business is in New York," he added.

Proctor said that he would have shown a loss on his business without the New York membership because of commissions which he would have had to pay as a non-member.

The rule against multiple trading is the one that the New York Exchange is now trying to force its members to carry on all of their trading for their own accounts in New York City. It would prohibit trading for themselves on regional exchanges in stocks listed in New York.

**First Real Test**

The fight is the first real test of the commission's power to regulate securities exchanges under a new rule. Full effectiveness of the New York rule has been postponed pending a final decision in the SEC action, which may lead to an order to drop the regulation.

The rule is a partner in the Boston firm of Draper, Sears & Co., which has memberships both in Boston and New York, expressed the opinion that "in many stocks it would be impossible to operate profitably without the New York affiliation" because of the commissions paid by nonmembers.

## Old Dominion Turns Out 33% Of Cigarettes

By the Associated Press

Richmond, Va., Jan. 22 (AP)—Virginia produced 4,907,516,142 cigarettes in 1940, showing a 33 per cent increase over 1939. In 1940, compared with 4,371,296,204 in 1939, it was learned here today.

Figures released by the Bureau of Internal Revenue showed the December production throughout the Nation amounted to 13,814,602,886 cigarettes, as against the national total of 10,202,000,000 the previous December. The December, 1940 production for domestic consumption set a new high for December cigarette production, the national figures showed.

**I. A. B. Seeks Delay In SEC Hearings**

New York, Jan. 22 (AP)—The Investment Bankers Association announced today it had requested the Securities and Exchange Commission to defer "public hearings" set for January 27 on compulsory competitive bidding for the securities of public utility holding companies.

The request, made in a letter to Judge Robert E. Healy, acting chairman of the commission, asked at least two weeks postponement to give all interested a chance to prepare for appearances before the commission.

**Commodity Futures**

New York, Jan. 22.—SANTOS COFFEE futures advanced 6 to 13 points today, to 100.00, on a report of a shortage of beans attributed to Brazilian interests. Firmness in spot market was behind the advance.

Sales totaled 6,250 bags; March, 7,250; May, 1,250; July, 1,250; September, 1,250; December, 754.

Most of the market sales of milds were made at prices above the minimum export level established last week by Colombia. Low 1940 milds were quoted at Rio 7 1/2 to 8 1/4. Cost and freight offerings included Santos bourse 3 1/2 to 4 1/2 and 7.50 to 8.50.

**LEAD futures** closed unchanged. Sales: 240 tons. Prices: unchanged to 15 higher. Sales: 240 tons. Prices: unchanged to 15 higher.

**RAW SILK futures** closed 1 to 2 lower. Sales: 100 tons. Prices: unchanged to 15 higher. Sales: 100 tons. Prices: unchanged to 15 higher.

**WOOL COMMERCE**—Australian reports that wool for commercial purposes would have a shortage of 100,000 bales for 1940-41. Wool futures advanced 1/2 to 1 1/2 points today. Profit taking following the recent advance added weight to the pressure, forcing prices down to final net losses of 2 to 4 cents.

**CRUDE RUBBER** futures closed 9 to 10 lower. Sales: 100 tons. Prices: unchanged to 15 higher. Sales: 100 tons. Prices: unchanged to 15 higher.

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## Price of Hides Since the Outbreak of the War

By the Associated Press

Pittsburgh, Jan. 22.—A metallurgist expressed belief today that the Nation's steel production could be increased as an aid to defense with comparatively little or no expansion of existing facilities through use of the Bessemer Steel converters.

H. W. Graham, of Jones and Laughlin Steel Corporation, made the statement in conjunction with the company's announcement that three steel companies and a foundry had been licensed to use J. and L. Bessemer flame control process. They were Republic Steel, Youngstown Sheet and Tube, Wheeling Steel and the Campbell, Wyant & Cannon Foundry Co., of Muskegon, Mich.

The flame control, which the company describes as the first basic improvement in the Bessemer method since it was developed about a century ago, determines by photoelectric cells and recording devices the completion of steel making in the Bessemer process. Such control, the company claims, improves the uniformity of the steel, overcoming an inherent weakness of the Bessemer method. Previously, skilled operators judged the completion of the operation.

Although Bessemer furnaces at one time produced the bulk of the Nation's steel, the slower open hearth furnace process has grown steadily in popularity because of greater uniformity of the open hearth steel, easier control and the fact that open hearths can use scrap.

Although Graham claimed for Bessemer Steel qualities such as machinability, weldability and strength, he emphasized that it could not be used interchangeably for open hearth steel without restriction. There may be many idle Bessemer converters which can be put to work, he said.

## Cotton Jumps More Than 35 Cents a Bale

By the Associated Press

A group of important staples moved up briskly in futures markets yesterday, but the general trend was irregular.

At New York cotton jumped 35 to 80 cents a bale after working progressively lower for the last ten days or so. Buying was influenced by broad demand for textiles and good business in Southern spot cotton markets.

Zinc closed unchanged to .15 of a cent a pound higher as rumors continued that the Government might force the metal might be instituted. Hides, under pressure lately, rallied .15 to .25 of a cent a pound. Also marked up were Santos coffee, cottonseed oil and sugar.

Wheat at Chicago ended 1/2 cent a bushel lower to 94 cents higher. Reprints included favorable domestic crop prospects, a larger than expected estimate of the Argentine harvest and an upward revision in Canadian production last summer. Corn added 1/4 to 1/2 of a cent. Trimmings mostly were wool tops, cocoa, rubber, silk and copper. The Associated Press weighted index of 35 wholesale spot staples, based on 1926 as 100, advanced to 78.67 from 78.47 Tuesday.

## Power Output Rises in Week

New York, Jan. 22.—Electric power output advanced for the third week in a row in the period ended January 18, but again failed to reach the record high established in the week preceding the Christmas lull, the Edison Electric Institute disclosed today.

The institute reported a production of 2,843,962,000 kilowatt hours was 3 of 1 per cent more than 2,834,512,000 in the previous week and 10.6 per cent ahead of 2,572,177,000 in the comparable 1940 week.



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| <b>Situations—Women</b> | <b>16</b> | <b>Rooms</b> |
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| <b>ROOMS - Women</b>                                                                                               |  | <b>ROOMS - Men</b>                                                                    |
| COOK - Exp. h. w. Exp. night, D. C. experience. Call 242-1111.                                                     |  | ACROSS from Cathedral, 3507 Woodley rd. NW. Excellent. Call 242-1111.                 |
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|                                                                                                                    |  | BETHEDA, 5416 Edgemore Lane - Love                                                    |

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**Situations—Men**

**17**

rm. twin beds; new home. **WO 0138**  
**BRANCH AVE S.E.** 2315—Airt. rm., fr. bath, conv. trans. **W 111**  
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By Edwin Cox



**KING CHRISTIAN:** THAT FLAG IS A VIOLATION OF HITLER'S TERMS TO MY COUNTRY. IF IT'S NOT DOWN BY NOON I'LL SEND A SOLDIER TO REMOVE IT.

**NAZI OFFICER:** YOUR SOLDIER WILL BE SHOT.

**CHRISTIAN:** THE SOLDIER WILL BE MYSELF.

THE FLAG CAME DOWN.



**MRS. LIONEL ATWILL**  
HAS BEEN GETTING  
COMPLIMENTS ON THE  
HAT SHE'S BEEN WEARING  
TO WASHINGTON PARTIES.  
**IT WAS HER GRANDMOTHER'S**



THE PRINCIPLES OF SHOWMANSHIP  
ARE CURRENTLY BEING EXPOUNDED  
TO CLASSES AT U.C.L.A. BY NO  
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**PROFESSOR RUDY VALLEE**

7:30 P. M. **WJSV**—From the Academy Army in Annapolis Parks Johnson and Wally Butterworth promise to unveil a closely guarded secret of a new quiz angle. Middies wh'ol face the quiz barrage will include Regularized Commander Lewis Larson, of Kenosha, Wis.; and the quizmaster, the quizmaster, the quizmaster.

8:30 **WJSV**—City Desk, that radiolet about newspaper folk, salutes the Minnesota Editorial Association, now holding its seventy-fifth annual convention in St. Paul.

9:00 **WJSV**—The University of Minnesota's Russell Baum, Kent Kennan and Spencer Norton are the four young men whose works are programmed by the Rochester Civic Orchestra in the first of its American composers' concerts of the season.

9:30 **WJSV**—The University of Minnesota's Gretzy-Mottl's Ballet Suite, Ravel's Pavane and the Dance No. 7 from Glinka's "Life of Tsar."

9:55, **WMAL**—New twist for America's Town Meeting. The question—"Does Our Future Welfare Depend on a British Victory?" is turned over entirely to the visible audience.

10: **WOL**—Raymond Gram Swing, taking on a newspaper assignment for the London Sunday Express, drops in Thursday evening for a radiolet on the "Hemingway" and "Hemingway" subjects. He replaces him with a series, "Profit and Loss," nontechnical analyses of business and economic trends.

10:45 **WJBR**—Rochester's M. Hutchins of the University of Chicago expresses his views on the war.

10:45 **WOL**—Nathan Milstein is violin soloist for the Chicago Symphony Orchestra under the baton of Hans Lange. Paganini's concerto for Violin, No. 1 and Ravel's "Rhapsodie Espagnole" are featured.

11:00 **WOL**—The University of Chicago's M. Hutchins of the University of Chicago expresses his views on the war.

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| 7:30— " Klub          | " " "              | Walter Compton      | News—Conover          |  |
| 7:45—Earl Godwin      | " " "              | " Art Brown         | Arthur Godfrey        |  |
| 8:00—Kibitzers'       | News               | " " "               | News                  |  |
| 8:15— " Klub          | Gordon Hitt'mark   | " " "               | Arthur Godfrey        |  |
| 8:30— " "             | " " "              | Walter Compton      | Magic Carpet          |  |
| 8:45— " "             | " " "              | " Art Brown         | Arthur Godfrey        |  |
| 9:00—E'k'ast Gang     | News               | " " "               | News                  |  |
| 9:15—Breakfast        | Mary Mason         | " " "               | American School       |  |
| 9:30— " Club          | " " "              | Mrs. Northcross     | of the Air            |  |
| 9:45— " Mile o' Dimes | " " "              | Walt. Compton       | Bach. Children        |  |
| 10:00—News            | This Small Town    | News—London         | By Kath. Norris       |  |
| 10:15— " and Sade     | Hank Lewson        | Rite and Bits       | Wirt and Marge        |  |
| 10:30—Mary Marlin     | Ellen Randolph     | Keep Fit            | Stepmother            |  |
| 10:45—Science         | Gulding Light      | Choir Loft          | Wom. of Courage       |  |
| 11:00—Pin Money       | The Man I Married  | Tuneful Topics      | Mary L. Taylor        |  |
| 11:15— " "            | Against the Storm  | News: Music         | Martha Webster        |  |
| 11:30— " "            | Road of Life       | Gov't Girl          | Big Sister            |  |
| 11:45— " "            | David Harum        | News—London         | Aunt Jenny            |  |
| 12:00— " "            | News               | Conservation        | Kate Smith            |  |
| 12:15— " "            | The Citadel        | News—Compton        | Girl Marries          |  |
| 12:30—National        | Firesteel Singers  | Luncheon Music      | Helen Trent           |  |
| 12:45— " Farm and     | Devotions          | To Be Announced     | Our Gal Sunday        |  |
| 1:00— " Home Hour     | Mile o' Dimes      | Navy                | Life Redefinition     |  |
| 1:15— " Bookends      | Tony Wons          | " " "               | White in White        |  |
| 1:30—News             | The Clipper        | Tony Wakeman        | Right to Happ-        |  |
| 1:45— " Mile o' Dimes | News               | " " "               | Road of Life          |  |
| 2:00—Originalities    | Church Hymns       | " " "               | Dr. Malone            |  |
| 2:15—Travel Cook      | Grimm's Daughters  | " " "               | Joyce Jordan          |  |
| 2:30— " Marine        | Valiant Lady       | " " "               | Fletcher Wiley        |  |
| 2:45— " Band          | Light of the World | " " "               | Home of the Brave     |  |
| 3:00—D'ice Orphans    | Mary Marlin        | News—Compton        | Mary M. McBride       |  |
| 3:15—Ah'nda Story     | Mo Perkins         | Tony Wakeman        | Song Treasury         |  |
| 3:30—Johna Witt       | Pepper Young       | " " "               | News: Studio 3        |  |
| 3:45—Just Plain Bill  | Will and Sade      | " " "               | Elmer Lee             |  |
| 4:00—Mother o' M.     | Backstage Wife     | " " "               | Portia Faces Life     |  |
| 4:15—News             | Stella Dallas      | " " "               | We, the Abbeys        |  |
| 4:30— " Mile o' Dimes | Lorenzo Jones      | " " "               | Billtop House         |  |
| 4:45—Edgar Quest      | Widow Brown        | Johnson Family      | Kate Hopkins          |  |
| 5:00—It's Five        | Girl Alone         | News—Compton        | The O'Keefers         |  |
| 5:15— " o'Clock       | Lone Journey       | Jimmy Allen         | Goldberg              |  |
| 5:30—Bud Barton       | Jack Armstrong     | Cocktail Capers     | D. Fairbanks, Jr.     |  |
| 5:45—Tom Mix          | Lite Beautiful     | Cent. Midnight      | R. Baines             |  |
| 6:00—News: Sports     | News               | Sports Resume       | News: E. C. Hill      |  |
| 6:15—Shadow Music     | Streamliner        | Caption Notes       | Arch McDonald         |  |
| 6:30— " "             | Bankhaze           | News—Compton        | News—Sullivan         |  |
| 6:45—Low. Thomas      | Streamliner        | Modern Melodies     | The World Today       |  |
| 7:00—Easy Aces        | Fred Waring        | Fulton Leas, Jr.    | Amos 'n' Andy         |  |
| 7:15—Mr. Keen         | Air Newsroom       | To Be Announced     | Lanny Ross            |  |
| 7:30—Quiz of          | Cugat's Orchestra  | Confidentially      | Yan Pop               |  |
| 7:45— " Two Cities    | " With Yeats       | Synopses            | " " "                 |  |
| 8:00—Pat of           | Coffee Time        | Wythe Williams      | Ask-It                |  |
| 8:15— " Gold          | " " "              | Center Shapra       | " " "                 |  |
| 8:30—Tommy Dor-       | The Aldrich        | Nat'l Catholic      | City                  |  |
| 8:45— " sey's Orch.   | " Family           | Radio Hour          | Desk: News            |  |
| 9:00—Rechester        | Kraft              | Gabriel Heatter     | Major Bowes'          |  |
| 9:15— " Orchestra     | Music Hall         | News                | Amateur               |  |
| 9:30—News: The        | Variety            | Wallenstein's       | " " "                 |  |
| 9:45— " Town          | " Hour             | Stantonetta         | " " "                 |  |
| 10:00— " Meeting of   | Rudy Vallee        | Profit and Loss     | Glenn Miller          |  |
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| 10:30—Headlines       | Dr. Robert M.      | News                | News                  |  |
| 10:45—Marvin's Orch.  | Hutchins           | Chicago             | Music for Modern      |  |
| 11:00—News            | News               | Symphony            | Masters               |  |
| 11:15—Music           | Night Club         | Rep. E. Secret      | Works of Man          |  |
| 11:30— " You          | Tony Pastor's      | Freddia Martin's    | Guy Lombardo's        |  |
| 11:45— " Desire       | Orchestra          | Orchestra           | Orchestra             |  |

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| 6:00 - Wake Up With WINX   | 1:30 - Program Resumes          | 6:45 - Capital Motorcade       |
| 6:15 - Newsday             | 1:45 - The News                 | 6:55 - World Headlines         |
| 6:30 - Wake Up With WINX   | 1:45 - Melody Ramblings         | 7:15 - Richard Eason           |
| 6:45 - Newsday             | 1:55 - The News                 | 7:30 - Concert                 |
| 7:00 - Music and Life      | 2:00 - Impromptu Favorites      | 8:30 - Britain Reports         |
| 7:15 - Music and Life      | 2:00 - News: The State of Music | 8:45 - Britain Over Washington |
| 7:30 - Play the Baby       | 2:15 - Fun to Learn             | 9:00 - News                    |
| 7:45 - Army Band           | 2:30 - The News                 | 9:15 - The News                |
| 8:00 - News: Lost, Strayed | 2:45 - By Request               | 9:30 - Celestial Notes         |
| 8:15 - News: Lost, Strayed | 2:55 - The News                 | 9:45 - World Headlines         |
| 8:30 - Traffic Court       | 3:00 - Fed. Govt. Employees     | 10:15 - Wrestling Matches      |
| 8:45 - News: Musical       | 3:15 - The News                 | 11:00 - News: Dream Time       |
| 9:00 - News: Musical       | 3:30 - The News                 | 11:15 - News: Dream Time       |
| 9:15 - This Rhythmic Age   | 3:45 - The News                 | 11:30 - News: Dream Time       |
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## Grin and Bear It

By Lichty



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## Daily Cross Word Puzzle

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# RAY in Washington

John and Ruth West, boy.  
Joseph and Florida Bower, girl.  
Lewis and Frances Bower, girl.  
Ferdinand and Marion Brickwood, girl.  
Evelyn and Thelma Ford, boy.  
Bernard and Ruth Gration, girl.  
Marston and Mary Greenlaw, girl.  
Oliver and Alice Green, boy.  
Alvin and Mary Jackson, girl.  
Kenneth and Jennifer Kent, girl.  
Joseph and Mary Lettice, girl.  
Helen and Sylvia Moore, girl.  
Robert and Helen Mueser, girl.  
James and Margaret Myers, boy.  
John and Agnes Presidio, boy.  
Harry and Elizabeth Shepherd, girl.  
David and Jessie Sims, boy.  
Jack and Lila Torgerson, girl.  
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Edward and Bernice Boone, girl.  
George and Marie Branch, girl.  
Harvey and Juana Brown, girl.  
George and Margaret Brown, girl.  
Hoscoe and Dorothy Chambers, girl.  
Harvey and Lillian Chambers, girl.  
Frederick and Gladys Douglas, girl.  
Oscar and Georgiana Garner, boy.  
George and Hattie Gross, girl.  
Nathaniel and Christine Harrison, girl.  
Charles and Theresa Kelley, girl.  
Harrel and Anita Kyles, boy.  
Charles and Catherine Lee, boy.  
William and Susan Miller, girl.  
William and Frances McCray, boy.  
William and America Nelson, girl.  
Bernard and Mabel Ray, girl.  
William and Sarah Sandifer, girl.  
Andrew and Laura Simmons, boy.  
Rufus and Mary Swan, girl.  
Herman and Marion Williams, boy.  
Chester and Catherine Woodward, boy.

## Ship and Clipper Movements

### At New York

#### Arrived Yesterday

Aniela, from Havana.  
Seminole, from Jacksonville.  
Veragua, from Cartagena.

#### Arrive Today

America, from Port au Prince.  
Atlantida, from La Caba.  
Georgia, from Norfolk.  
Knoxham, from West Indies cruise.

#### Arrive Tomorrow

Transatlantico, from Nassau.  
Robert E. Lee, from Norfolk.  
Santa Rosa, from La Caba.  
Shannon, from Miami.

#### Sailing Today

A steamer, for Capetown.  
Sailing Tomorrow  
Robin Gray, for Capetown.

### Atlantic Clipper

#### At New York

Atlantic Clipper, from Lisbon, at LaGuardia Field, 1:45 p. m.

#### Departed Yesterday

Yankee Clipper, from LaGuardia Field, for Bermuda, 8:30 a. m.

#### Departed Today

DeWitt Clipper, from LaGuardia Field, for Bermuda, 8:30 a. m.

### Pacific Clipper

#### At San Francisco

American Clipper, from Auckland, at San Francisco.

#### Arrive Today

American Clipper, from San Francisco, for Honolulu.

#### Departed Yesterday

California Clipper, from San Francisco, for Honolulu.

#### Departed Today

American Clipper, from San Francisco, for Honolulu.

## Applications for Marriage Licenses

Leonard Bruce Campbell, 27, 1173 Morse Street, Northwest, and Mary Ellen Kilduff, 21, 2842 N. Washington Road, Northwest. The Rev. Edwin Lockwood, Pastor.

Richard A. Farnell, 31, 5422 Hawthorne Place, Northwest, and Jane L. Hopper, 25, Cumberland, Md. The Rev. Frederick S. Bushmeyer.

Leo Truett, 25, 1581 Ninth Street, Northwest, and Bertha Mae Gosselin, 21, 1270 Seventh Street, Northwest. Judge Nathan C. Carter.

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Neil Kenneth Johnson, 31, 1211 Fifth Street, Northwest, and Edith Deener Dorner, 20, 5214 M Street, Northwest. The Rev. A. Lewis.

William Lawrence Raschke, 29, Navy Yard, and Doris Cecilia Proctor, 19, 1700 K Street, Southeast. Judge Robert E. Mattingly.

Joseph Preston Lewis, 30, 118 N Street, Southeast, and Mary E. J. O'Neil, 26, same address. The Rev. M. J. O'Neil.

Paul Peeler, 22, Arlington Hall School, and Josephine Smith, 21, 2920 Woodland Drive, Northwest, and Eunice Ruth Allen, 21, Frederickburg, Va. The Rev. William S. Abernethy.

Chas. C. Edwards, 23, Washington, and Croft McKenna, 20, same city. The Rev. B. H. Perry.

William Terry Rivers, 21, 60 I Street, Southwest, and Mable Lee Herriman, 20, 322 K Street, Southwest. The Rev. Wiley Walters.

Dalton B. Bredon, 31, 811 Mount Vernon Place, Northwest, and Bette Columbia Crabbe, 18, 1242 Tenth Street, Northwest. The Rev. R. L. Gregory.

Respected Gladstone Hall, 27, 1426 M Street, Northwest, and Velma Belle Corbin, 26, same address. The Rev. A. J. McCarty.

Armand M. Masse, 24, 423 North Capitol Street, and Catherine Marie Bess, 20, 1820 N Street. The Rev. John R. Arant.

Edward Mary Mahoney, 22, 2200 R Street, Northwest, and Eleanor Payne Henrich, 26, 1704 Eighteenth Street, Northwest. The Rev. Wilbur F. Wheeler.

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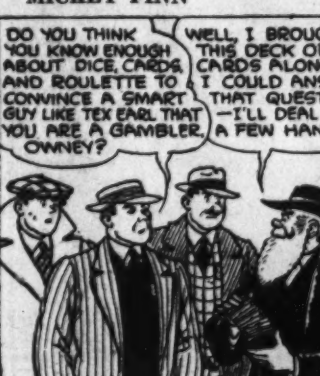
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Brown, Maj. William L., Iowa City, Iowa, to Omaha, Neb.  
Kraft, 1st Lt. Robert M., Indianapolis, Ind., to Wash. Post, N. Y.  
Gordon, War. Off. Jack T., Watertown, Mass., to Providence, R. I.  
Infantry  
McKinney, 1st Lt. Carl F., Manhattan, Kansas, to Fort Huachuca, Ariz.  
Abrams, 1st Lt. George E., Augusta, Ga., to Fort Huachuca, Ariz.  
Kunigunde, 1st Lt. Lee V., Uniontown, Pa., to Fort Huachuca, Ariz.  
Boulware, Maj. James K., Beaumont, Tex., to Fort Huachuca, Ariz.  
Hill, 1st Lt. William K., Greenville, S. C., to Fort Knox, Ky.  
Hutchins, 1st Lt. Chas. E., Lexington, Ky., to Fort Knox, Ky.  
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Murphy, Maj. Leonard R., Brooklyn, N. Y., to Fort Benning, Ga.  
Evans, Capt. Richard W. C., Jr., Fort Chas., Mich., to Fort Benning, Ga.  
Truman, Capt. Louis W., Fort Benning, Ga., to Fort Benning, Ga.  
James, 1st Lt. John E., Fort Benning, Ga., to Fort Benning, Ga.  
Munn, 1st Lt. John E., Fort Benning, Ga., to Fort Benning, Ga.  
Cassidy, 1st Lt. Patrick P., Fort Lewis, Wash., to Fort Benning, Ga.  
Allen, 2d Lt. Ollie J., Fort Jackson, S. C., to Fort Benning, Ga.  
Childers, 2d Lt. Donald T., Fort Lewis, Wash., to Fort Benning, Ga.  
Infantry Reserve  
Hastings, 1st Lt. Dean E., Oak Park, Ill., to Fort Benning, Ga.  
Riley, 1st Lt. John E., Charleston, S. C., to Fort Benning, Ga.  
Moore, 1st Lt. Frank M., Chicago, Ill., to



## Sen. Bilbo, 'a Pig for Trouble,' Would Like D. C. Chairmanship

But 'Loves to Work,' He Says as Reynolds Shows Reluctance

Abe Murdock, of Utah, a mild-mannered man with kindly wishes for the District and its citizens, is the innocent cause of all the confusion in the Senate District Committee.

Murdock, then a Representative, defeated Senator King, veteran chairman of the Senate District Committee, in the Utah primaries last September, and succeeded to King's seat but not his committee posts.

Four senior members of the District committee promptly declined the job that King was about to vacate. The fifth ranking member of the committee, Senator Reynolds (Democrat), of North Carolina, was reported ready to take the chairmanship, but now isn't quite sure.

"I Do Love to Work"

Next below Reynolds on the committee is Senator Bilbo (Democrat), of Mississippi, who said yesterday he will take the job if his North Carolina colleague declines it.

Three of the four Senators who outrank Reynolds on the District Committee would have been forced to resign other chairmanships to accept the District job. An unwritten Senate rule prevents any man from heading two standing committees.

Senator Glass, of Virginia, ranking majority member of the committee, heads the powerful Appropriations Committee. Senator Tydings (Democrat), of Maryland, is chairman of the Committee on Territories and Insular Affairs. Senator Bankhead (Democrat), of Alabama, is chairman of the Irrigation and Reclamation Committee.

Bankhead said yesterday that he "just couldn't find the time to do justice of the District Committee chairmanship and still serve the people who sent me here."

Bankhead Too Busy

"We hardly have time to breathe," he said. "I can't remember a time when the pressure on Senators was heavier—even in the depths of the depression."

Citing his numerous committee assignments and the demands of the "present national emergency," Bankhead said, "I think I could satisfy any fair-minded person who spent a day with me that I ought not to undertake the District chairmanship."

Next in line to Bankhead on the District Committee is Senator McCarran (Democrat), of Nevada, the only member senior to Reynolds who is not already a committee chairman. McCarran announced after King's defeat that he would not consider the District job.

"I have given my time and services to the committee to the best of my ability, but I wouldn't take the chairmanship," he said yesterday. "I don't say that because I look on the chairmanship of the District Committee as anything less than a great honor. I think it is. But I just don't feel I have time to assume the high responsibilities that go with the job."

McCarran added that, continuing as a committee member, he will oppose legalization of horse racing in the District, which has been urged by Reynolds for years.

"Some of the burdens" on the District Committee chairman could be lightened, McCarran suggested, if the committee hired a full-time secretary and clerk. The secretary "should be well paid and well qualified in civic management," he said.

Senator Bilbo, declaring that "any man should come to the chairmanship of a Senate committee with an open mind," said he was not going to "give out any statement on suffrage or horse-racing."

"The chairman should be sort of a judge," he said, "and not come into office with a lot of fixed convictions."

"As a potential chairman of the Senate District Committee," he concluded, "my only statement is that I am for God and my country."



SENATOR MURDOCK

## 260th Artillery Ready to Leave Baton Rouge

Special Dispatch to The Post.

Baton Rouge, La., Jan. 22.—The 260th Coast Artillery regiment of Washington, D. C., was prepared tonight to say farewell to Baton Rouge and head westward on the second half of its journey to El Paso, Tex.

Arriving here Tuesday afternoon from Biloxi, Miss., the convoy will embark tomorrow for Lake Charles, La., 145 miles away. While here, it has been quartered in the R. O. T. C. drill hall and the girls' gymnasium on the Louisiana University campus. Students of the university are on vacation between semesters. Mechanics spent the morning checking truck engines and tires.

A concert was staged by the regimental band on the steps of the 62-story State Capitol Building here. During the recital four giant searchlights were placed in operation close by as were two of the 3-inch anti-aircraft guns. The convoy is scheduled to arrive in El Paso Wednesday.

## Democrats to Dine To Dear Old Party

Democratic Party leaders agreed yesterday on details of a drive to raise \$750,000, through belated Jackson Day banquets on March 29, to pay off a party deficit of more than \$400,000, and keep the organization going for another year or more.

As in former years, the Washington dinner will cost \$100 a plate, in New York City \$50, and in other States \$25. The dinners were postponed this year because of the inauguration. They usually are held early in January.

President Roosevelt is expected to address the Washington banquet.

## Murray Protests Census Proposal

C. I. O. President Philip Murray yesterday protested against a proposal by John D. Biggers, of the Office of Production Management, for a census of defense production facilities to be made by the National Association of Manufacturers.

His protest was contained in identical letters to Knudsen and Sidney Hillman, defense labor commissioner. He said "the real facts obviously can be determined only by the effective participation of labor in such a survey and in the allocation of orders to available production facilities of the Nation."

## 2 From Training School Get 3 Years

Lewisburg, Pa., Jan. 22 (AP).—Two youths who pleaded guilty to stealing an automobile in Prince Georges County, Md., Saturday, after escaping from the National Training School for Boys at Washington, D. C., were sentenced in Federal Court today to three years each in El Rino, Oklahoma Federal Reformatory.

Judge Albert Johnson said he was sending them to Oklahoma so they would be near their homes.

The youths told the judge they ran away because one of them had been denied permission to see his ailing mother. They escaped from the training school by lowering themselves from their rooms by means of blankets.

## Daily Worker, Banned in Britain, Still Appears

London, Jan. 22.—The banned Communist Daily Worker appeared today despite the posting of Scotland Yard detectives in the paper's office here.

A single sheet of mimeographed paper, headed "Daily Worker, No. 3431," was handed in at the British Press Association building. One side carried an editorial, the other a story of the police raid on the office where the Daily Workers and the Week, a weekly news letter of leftist tendencies, are printed.

## So-Called 'High Brows' May Have Low Brows

Bigger and broader skulls, lower cheekbones and darker hair distinguish the American intellectual, according to findings of a special study announced yesterday by the Smithsonian Institution.

Dr. Ales Hrdlicka, the institution's curator of physical anthropology, made an intensive investigation of physical characteristics of 150 members of the National Academy of Sciences, one of the world's outstanding intellectual groups.

He found that, in comparison with the population at large: Not only do their skulls run larger, but there is "considerable evidence" that the scholars' craniums also are thinner, providing more room for the brain inside.

The brainy scholar, as personified by the academy members, is strong of physique as well as intellect, contrary to popular notions that the smartest people are the weakest physically.

The ratio of high to low brows among the 150 scholars was about the same as among outsiders, a fact which, Dr. Hrdlicka believes, disposes of the old "high brow" belief.

One member of the academy showed a skull typical of the Aurognathian man, who lived in Europe 25,000 years ago. For such a cephalic index to be seen today is rare but not without precedent.

With dark-to-black hair predomi-

nating among the scholars, Dr. Hrdlicka noted the marked absence of redheads and the scarcity of blonds. Yet he did not conclude that dark hair and mental ability necessarily go together, explaining tactfully that there is a possibility red-haired persons may excel in fields which do not make them eligible for membership in the academy.

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